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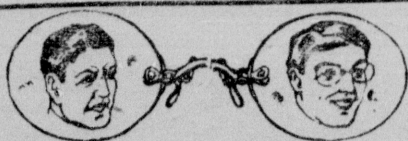
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MINE WORKERS ANNOUNCED ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL TO NEGOTIATE SCALE AGREEMENT

Lewis Denied Charges of Bad Faith Over Coal Strike Negotiations—Secretary Green Said Federal Government Should See That Miners Got Sixty Per Cent Increase to Have American Living Standard.

CHICAGO PREPARED FOR SELLING BOOZE

**TWENTY MILLION GALLONS ARE
READY FOR TRANSPORTA-
TION AND RENEWAL OF
LICENSES ASKED.**

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Nov. 15.—Hundreds of saloonkeepers applied today for renewal of liquor licenses, transportation was arranged for 20,000,000 gallons of whiskey, reservations were made in downtown cafes and all other arrangements were fixed for a celebration in anticipation of a favorable "wet" decision by the federal judge in the suit of Peoria and Chicago liquor dealers for an injunction to stop the enforcement of the war-time prohibition law.

Delayed Until Next Week.
Chicago, Nov. 15.—Federal Judges Carpenter and FitzHenry announced that the decision in the injunction proceedings brought by liquor dealers to restrain the enforcement of prohibition would not be delivered until some time next week.

Arrested Moonshiners.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 15.—Twelve alleged moonshiners were arrested and several large illicit stills destroyed yesterday by revenue officers operating in the mountains of Laurel and Letcher counties.

SCORES OF RADICALS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED

**RAIDS CONTINUE ALONG PACIFIC
COAST AND REDS ARE
BEING WELL ROUND-
ED UP.**

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 15.—Raids on the Industrial Workers of the World and other radicals continued up and down the Pacific coast today and scores of additional prisoners were taken, some of whom face charges of criminal syndicalism, some of inciting riot and others of vagrancy.

I. W. W. in West Virginia.
Morgantown, W. Va., Nov. 15.—Department of justice agents and eight deputy sheriffs today arrested twelve members of Scott's Run local of the Industrial Workers of the World and jailed them here.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Saturday. No exchange.
New York.
Opening—Dec. 36.60-71; Jan. 35.30-15; March 35.80-45; May 32.60-50.
Close—Weak. Dec. 36.35-37; Jan. 34.75-90; March 33.00-15; May 32.03-12.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 37.50; Jan. 35.50-40; March 34.15-34.00; May 33.00-32.85.
Close—Weak. Dec. 36.85-90; Jan. 35.00-12; March 34.45-55; May 32.47-55.

Houston.
Spots steady, 50 points down. Mid-
dling 40.00. Sales 499. To arrive
3,480.

Galveston.
Spots quiet and unchanged. Mid-
dling 41.50. Sales none. F. O. B.
3,250.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Acceptance without qualification by the mine workers of Secretary of Labor Wilson's proposal for negotiation of the nation-wide scale agreement was announced at the conference today by John Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers. Lewis sharply denied charges of bad faith over the coal strike negotiations. Secretary-Treasurer Green of the mine workers, taking exception to Mr. Wilson's statement yesterday that a 60 per cent increase in wages was impossible, said the federal government should see that the miners got that much increase to allow them an American standard of living.

Not Returning Today.
Chicago, Nov. 15.—Virtually no increase in the number of bituminous miners returning to work was looked for today, Saturday being regarded as at least a half holiday in many of the country's mines. Besides that, the miners seemed intent to stand on their expressed determination not to return until the Washington meeting affects an agreement on the new wage scale.

CONFERENCE POSTPONED.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 15.—Hope of immediate settlement of the demands of the four great railway brotherhoods vanished when further sessions of the conference between Director General Hines and the brotherhood heads were postponed indefinitely.

SOVIET ENVOY TO BE HELD FOR CONTEMPT

**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE PROB-
ING RED ACTIVITIES ASKED
WARRANT FOR MAR-
TENS ARREST.**

By Associated Press.
New York, Nov. 15.—Ludwig C. K. A. Martens, ambassador to the United States from the Russian soviet government, was declared in contempt of the joint legislative committee investigating radical activities in New York state and a warrant for his arrest will be asked.

MAJOR HIGGINSON DEAD.

By Associated Press.
Boston, Nov. 15.—The death of Major Henry Higginson, banker and founder of the Boston Symphony orchestra, is announced.

JIM CROW CARS.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 15.—By a vote of 142 to 12 the house today refused to incorporate a provision in the Esch railroad bill that would compel the abolition of the Jim Crow cars on the Southern railroads used to separate negroes from white passengers.

A. A. U. MEETING IN BOSTON.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 15.—Many important changes in the constitution, by-laws and rules of the Amateur Athletic Union are recommended in the national legislation committee's report which will be received and acted upon at the annual meeting which will open at the Copley-Plaza here tomorrow and continue over Monday. No fewer than thirty-four proposed amendments are scheduled for attention. The most important in the list are those affecting competition and eligibility. The list is headed by the recommendation of the Pacific Coast association that the general rule be changed to prohibit athletes from other countries competing in the national championships.

D'ANNUNZIO SAILED ON NEW ADVENTURE

**HAS THREE HUNDRED SHOCK
TROOPS AND BELIEVED HIS
HESITATION IS PORT
OF ZARA.**

By Associated Press.
Paris, Nov. 15.—D'Annunzio is engaged in another adventure along the Dalmatian coast, according to advices to the peace conference. He sailed from Fiume on the Italian torpedo boat Vallo, accompanied by a steamer carrying 300 shock troops. An Italian warship followed, merely observing his movements. The debarcation point on the Dalmatian coast is not known, but probably is Zara.

Seized Black Sea Coast.
London, Nov. 15.—The eastern coast of the Black Sea from Yelensk to Sochy has been seized by an insurgent army of 70,000 men operating in the rear of Denikine, according to a Moscow wireless. Soviets have been formed.

Bosheviki Occupied Omsk.
London, Nov. 15.—Omsk, the capital of the All-Russian government, has been occupied by Bosheviki, a Moscow official communique asserts.

ADOPTED CLOTURE TO SPEED UP TREATY

**NO SENATOR MAY SPEAK IN ALL
MORE THAN ONE HOUR
TILL TREATY DIS-
POSED OF.**

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 15.—Cloture to shut down debate on the peace treaty was adopted by the senate today. Republican and Democratic leaders voted together for the cloture, which means that until the treaty is disposed of no senator may speak in all more than one hour. The vote was 78 to 16. The action resulted in the immediate speeding of the reservation program, the next reservation on the committee's list being adopted within one minute without debate or roll call. It related to mandates.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

The Republic of Brazil celebrates its thirtieth anniversary today.
A "Victory dinner" to celebrate national prohibition is to be given in St. Louis tonight in connection with the National W. C. T. U. convention.
The problems of the Czech-Slovak in the United States are to be discussed at a congress of representatives of the race in America which has been called to meet today at Chicago.

The name "Omaha," in honor of the Nebraska metropolis, is to be bestowed on a 9600-ton freighter of the United States Shipping Board, which is to be launched today at Wilmington, N. C.
A notable wedding today will be that of Miss Ruth Rea, daughter of Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and Lieut. Commander George B. Judkins, which will take place at the Rea country at Bryn Mawr, Pa.
As part of a campaign to spread the gospel of public ownership of public utilities—including mines, railroads and packing plants—a conference will assemble in Chicago today under the auspices of the Public Ownership League of America.

STATEMENT OF THE LAREDO NATIONAL BANK LAREDO, TEXAS.

At the Close of Business, September 12, 1919, as rendered to the Comptroller of the Currency
CONDENSED.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$1,636,450.70	Capital Stock \$200,000.00
United States Bonds 249,182.00	Surplus Fund 100,000.00
U. S. Treasury Certificates 85,000.00	Undivided Profits 127,317.44
Other Bonds and Securities 27,029.23	Interest collected, not
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 9,000.00	earned, approximate 37,712.16
Redemption Fund with	Circulation 200,000.00
U. S. Treasurer 10,000.00	Other Liabilities 755.37
Banking House, Furniture	Deposits 1,994,328.72
and Fixtures 50,000.00	Total \$2,660,113.69
Interest earned, not collected,	
approximate 20,294.14	
Cash and Exchange 573,157.62	
Total \$2,660,113.69	

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"A ROOF GARDEN ROUGH HOUSE," comedy featuring pretty
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Tomorrow: "FIRES OF FAITH," special, and "WHY DIVORCE?"
comedy with Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven.

From Friday's Daily.

A PALPABLE TRICK.

The first trick of the striking miners has been played at Duquoin, Mo., where a miners' mass meeting caused the local unions of the fifth district to order out all the auxiliary workmen upon whom depends the work of keeping the mines running. As a result, the hoisting engineers, smen, pumpmen and all others who had been permitted to remain at work so as to keep the mines in running order pending the final action of the court on the restraining order were quit work, and as a result the mines in that district could not be operated for several days after it might be decided to return to work. The miners' union professes to be ignorant as to whether or not this is a violation of the government's injunction, but it is likely they will be so informed. The trick is so palpable that it does not deceive anyone, and least of all the miners who are told that it is the policy of the officials of their union to obey the court order.

It is believed that the miners in the smaller mining fields will soon turn to work, but what action the union will take in the great Pennsylvania and Illinois fields, or in the larger fields in Indiana and Kansas, is still problematical. And every day that production is discontinued means an added time of suffering for those who are dependent on the coal. Vital industries are aided in the supply they receive, while many industries, such as the clothing and woolen goods manufacturers, are without fuel at all, and this means the loss of employment for many thousands.

Naturally the strain which will come upon the natural gas supplies of the country will be great, and already one system at line Bluff has collapsed because of a blow out, due to doubt to increased pressure on account of the increased demand resulting from lack of coal.

If the miners' union is to resort to such trickery as that reported from Duquoin, there will be little disposition on the part of the operators to meet the employees half way in the inference in Washington. And the government officials will be even less disposed to use their endeavors to secure an agreement acceptable to the miners in the face of the attempt to evade the spirit of the court order while observing the mere outward form.

If the miners want to secure the backing of the public, they must show some different attitude toward the public. At present the people as a whole care little whether the miners or the operators win, so long as they are assured at least a part of the fuel they need, and if the miners are determined to fight out the matter despite the court order, making it certain that coal will not be mined for some time to come, then the diggers will have alienated the public sympathy which is so necessary to their final success.

What result the auxiliary workers walking out will have on the operators is not yet known, but it probably will enrage them as tending to show a deliberate attempt to prevent production. The operators stand to lose some money through the enforced shut-down, but they will have the people back of them when they declare that their only desire is to reduce the needed fuel and to comply with the regulations of the fuel administration.

The action of the federal court which granted the restraining order and made it permanent will be awaited with interest. It would be strange if this action should result in the arrest of the leaders who are responsible for the action of the auxiliary workers, but it would not be unjust if it were shown that it was part of a deliberate attempt to set at naught the power of the court and make it contemptible in the eyes of the workers.

It may be that the federation of labor will have to answer for some of the responsibility in this case, for some of the crafts included in the latest walk-out do not belong to the miners' union, but are directly under the jurisdiction of their own unions, affiliated with the miners through the federation of labor.

PREPARING FOR WAR.

While the Mexican government has been declaring that it was doing all in its power to stave off the intervention "which the American government seemed determined to force upon it," at the same time informing the Washington government that the friendship between the two countries was never closer, the agents of the Carranza government were busily engaged in various parts of the world in securing enormous quantities of arms and ammunition.

It thus becomes evident that the talk of friendship towards the United States is a mere blind, and that Mexico—at least, the Carranza government—has been preparing for war. And knowing that the United States has consistently done everything in its power to stave off intervention and to prevent hostilities, the Carranza government has prepared deliberately, realizing that it could force war whenever it chose.

It is probable that the acts of the Carranza government which several times nearly precipitated hostilities were merely for the purpose of testing the attitude of our government,

for they were immediately apologized for when it became apparent that our government was not disposed to accept insult and abuse.

The apologies came because the Mexican government had not succeeded in accumulating sufficient munitions of war. This was due to the wisdom of our government, which was not disposed to permit anything which would place Mexico in a position to attack our country without warrant.

The Carranza government even placed large orders in our own country for rifles and ammunition, trusting to our apparent stupidity to prevent our seeing what was intended. But the sharp and prompt refusal to permit the exportation to Mexico of these munitions must have caused a change of opinion as to our lack of perception.

It now develops—although it was known to our state department for months—that Mexico has been receiving large quantities of arms and ammunition, especially machine guns of a superior make, from Spain, and that the shipment is still continuing.

Ostensibly for the purpose of putting down the rebellion, although a little has been done, but that line, even with the increased supply of munitions, the Carranza government, through Candido Aguilar, Carranza's son-in-law, has placed large orders for munitions with the great Belgian factory at Liege, and was in hopes of securing prompt shipment.

But our charge d'affaires at Brussels protested, and the shipment was stopped through the international arms convention that had been adopted by the allied nations. So this particular source of supply is cut off.

Perhaps it was in hopes of getting munitions of war that some of the Mexican government officials have been so insistent upon retaining the friendship of Germany. But the peace treaty expressly stipulates that Germany shall make no more munitions of war, and especially not for exportation.

It seems strange to us that a nation which is bankrupt, without any credit outside of its own boundaries, driven to make forced loans inside its own territory, and lacking everything that cannot be produced with its own resources and industries, can expend enormous sums of money for the purchase of arms that can serve no good purpose.

It seems still more strange that a government which ought to realize that its best friend is just across the border is doing all in its power to alienate the friendship of that country, and is even preparing for war against the country which has done all it can to prevent war.

The enmity for the United States that has been carefully fostered for the past few years is so uncalculated that it arouses a suspicion of the sanity of those engaged in the senseless propaganda.

Save your money, Mr. Carranza, and use it to buy bread for the hungry of Mexico. Send your agents over here to buy the necessities of life rather than the instruments of war. Your people have had enough of war; give them a chance to live in peace and security, with the friendship of our country to guarantee against attack from without.

Card of Thanks.

On behalf of Webb County Chapter of the American Red Cross, I wish to extend most thanks to Mrs. Geo. W. Derby and all the ladies associated with her in making the Third Roll Call drive such a success, and to every one who assisted in any way during the campaign; also the good people who took out memberships or renewed their pledges to the worthy organization.

M. W. BRENNAN,
Chairman, Webb County Chapter
American Red Cross.

DALLAS WOMAN WAS ALMOST HOPELESS

HER FIVE YEARS OF MISERY
ENDED AFTER TAKING TAN-
LAC—SHE GAINS 13
POUNDS.

"I gained thirteen pounds on taking Tanlac and feel as hearty as I ever did," said Mrs. Ella Faulkner, of 2916 Blackburn street, Dallas, Texas. "I had no appetite," she continued, "and the misery in my stomach after eating was frightful. The gas pressure on my heart would almost smother me to death and I was actually afraid at times to lie down. I had awful pains in my feet and legs, was constipated and suffered constantly from headaches. I often had dizzy spells and was so nervous I could hardly sleep. I took all kinds of medicines, but nothing helped me."

"For five years I had been going down like this and had about lost all hope of getting well, and was down in bed for several weeks before trying Tanlac. Since taking this medicine my appetite has improved, my nerves have become quiet and I never have a headache or pain of any kind. I sleep sound as a child and get up full of life and energy and am able to work all day long without getting tired."

All druggists sell Tanlac.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 14.

1819—Rear Admiral Christopher R. P. Rodgers, a distinguished officer of the United States Navy, born in Brooklyn, N. Y. Died in Washington, D. C., Jan. 8, 1892.

1820—John W. Taylor of New York was chosen Speaker of the United States House of Representatives.

1885—King Milan of Serbia declared war on Bulgaria.

1907—The third Russian Duma was opened by Czar Nicholas.

1908—The deaths of the Emperor and Dowager Empress of China were announced.

1914—Field Marshal Earl Roberts died while visiting the British armies in France.

1915—Berlin reported the Russians driven back across the Styria after hard fighting.

1916—British captured fortified village of Beaucourt in their advance in the Aisne region.

1917—Kerensky's forces defeated by the Bolshevik troops 12 miles from Petrograd.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

Several thousand American prisoners released from German prison camps.

Norway reported her war losses as 831 vessels, aggregating 1,250,000 tons.

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12,000 reclaimed army shoes, new soles and heels at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per pair.

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The parent company takes no risk. Its profits are sure and large. It simply installs the plants, furnishing the raw material, and receives pay for same, together with the royalty and daily profits.

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Applications will also be received from reputable men with ten years residence and business experience in towns of 10,000 or more. The man who becomes the local manager must have some cash and credit, or bank backing, for a few thousand dollars and must be willing to actually take a working man's job and stick to it six days a week for an income and compensation of approximately \$50 per day.

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This subscription is only conditional and after you receive full details and have time to investigate and learn beyond a doubt that the business is sound, safe, and by far the greatest investment opportunity ever opened to the small investor you can then receive all of your money back by return mail or you can make your subscription permanent by sending in your further remittance.

The first units of this system of local plants will be placed in operation in Texas within the next two weeks. We believe it is safe to say the stock you can reserve at par now will be selling 2 for 1 the day the first plant is in operation, and we believe it will jump another hundred points with the completion of each new plant until the market value will be four or five thousand dollars per share.

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NOVEMBER 14.

Charles Louis de Freycinet, famous French statesman, scholar and scientist, born 91 years ago today.

Count Johann Bernstorff, the German ambassador who was sent home from Washington, born in London, 57 years ago today.

Robert S. Hichens, celebrated English novelist and playwright, born in Kent, England, 55 years ago today.

Bishop Luther B. Wilson, of the

Methodist Episcopal Church, born in Baltimore, 63 years ago today.
Dr. R. E. Blackwell, president of Randolph-Macon College and president of the Educational Association of the M. E. Church, South, born at Warrenton, Va., 65 years ago today.

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When you get up with a bad taste in your mouth; a dull tired feeling, no relish for food and are constipated, you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only cause an agreeable movement of the bowels, but cleanse and invigorate the stomach and improve the digestion.

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The system under which The First National will operate was developed and the complete plans worked out by me, due to my experience in drilling oil wells and building the Abner Davis Refinery. Therefore, I feel that the results belong, at least in part, to my friends and backers in my present organizations.

While The First National will be a separate company, a large portion of my individual holdings will be turned in to swell the profits and make good for all Abner Davis' friends investors, and backers. Legally, of course, I do not owe this to them, but morally I feel it my duty and I want to have everyone profit with me. This will be purely a voluntary gift.

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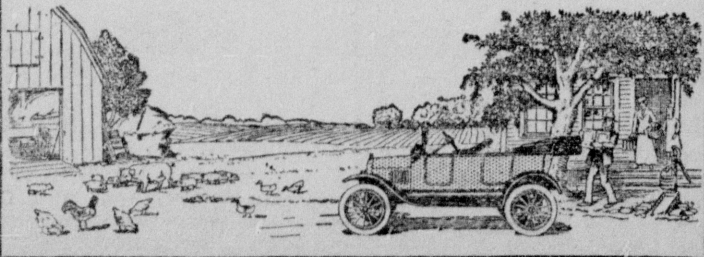
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at 7 O'clock Mercury Tumbled to
43 Degrees at 7 This Morning.

The mercury took quite a tumble during the 24 hours from 7 a. m. yesterday to 7 a. m. today, when the maximum temperature recorded yesterday was 71 degrees, and the minimum temperature recorded up to 7 o'clock this morning was 43 degrees, or 11 degrees above freezing. The wind was sharp this morning, and being that it was the first real cold snap of the season it was of that kind that feels penetrating and drives a chill through one exposed to the cold.

While the cool snap was in evidence throughout yesterday, but at no time did the mercury drop below 50 degrees, but last night the northern appeared to gain in force and it gradually became colder during the night, and especially during the early morning hours. This morning at 7 o'clock the thermometer registered 43 degrees, the coldest snap of the winter so far.

However, the cold was not sufficient to do any damage to young onions and other vegetation, while on the other hand it proved beneficial, as now farmers can proceed with the work of preparing their soil for onion transplanting, for no moisture accompanied the cold spell and it was cool and dry.

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BURGLARS ARE BOUND OVER AWAIT ACTION GRAND JURY

Jose Perez and Jesus Cuesta Ortiz, Who Have Been Operating Extensively, Are Now in the Toils.

Two sneak thieves who have been operating extensively in Laredo of late are now in the county jail, having been bound over following a preliminary hearing this morning charging them with burglarizing the home of John L. Dannelley and stealing four fine dresses belonging to Mrs. Dannelley, which were recovered. The burglars are Jose Perez and Jesus Cuesta Ortiz, both of whom are to fail in default of \$300 bond each. They are also charged with the burglarizing of two other houses in Laredo, where it is alleged they stole overcoats, clocks and other property, all of which have been recovered to the owners.

An Expression of Appreciation.
The work of the various welfare organizations coming to a close on November 1st and being taken over by the army itself, the writer wishes to express his thanks through the medium of this paper, to his many friends, both among civilians and officers and men of Fort McIntosh, for the many courtesies and healthy cooperation afforded him. It is to be regretted that time or opportunity does not permit my daughter or I in bidding our many friends goodbye, and with us goes a memory of the border and the fourteen months I spent in so pleasant a duty. It is on an order to report for further instruction to the National Headquarters of the Jewish Welfare Board in New York City that I leave, and in all likelihood to continue in this same field of endeavor.

Yours sincerely,
H. RIESER,
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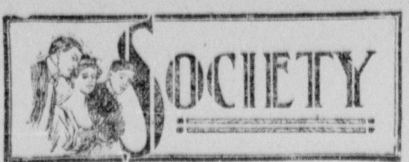
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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Thursday.

Circle C. W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Irwin on Salinas avenue at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Circle D. W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. Sallee in the afternoon.

The Thursday Bridge Club will be entertained by Miss Eva Levi in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Friday.

The Associated Charities will hold a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. R. B. Echols will entertain at bridge at her home, 1717 Houston street, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

General Mention.

Mr. Leonard Haynes will leave tonight for New York on business and expects to return in about ten days.

Mrs. M. B. Mowry left yesterday for San Antonio for a several days' stay.

Miss Ruth Murphy is in San Antonio, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Gallagher.

Major and Mrs. A. E. Roche leave this evening for Marfa, Texas, where Major Roche will be stationed.

Miss Adeline Thaison left Monday for San Antonio for a several days' stay.

Mr. Charles Bush arrived in the city on Tuesday to join his family who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Puster.

Mrs. W. D. Butler and baby are expected home today from San Antonio, where they have been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. A. Barnett will return home today from Dallas. She also visited her sister in Fort Worth while away.

Mrs. M. C. Barlow will leave tonight for San Antonio for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. DaCamara returned Tuesday from a pleasant trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. T. Murphy will leave tonight for San Antonio, from where, after a short stay, she will go to Brownsville to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy. She will be accompanied there by her daughter, Miss Ruth Murphy.

Mrs. Ed Kotula of San Antonio is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. N. C. Windrow.

Mrs. A. H. H. Magnon, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Bernardino Cardenas, will leave today for San Antonio for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Ferguson of Correll, Texas, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. T. A. Austin, arrived yesterday for a two weeks' visit.

Announcements.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Dannelley at 1111 Grant street at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

There will be a general meeting at the Chamber of Commerce at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon. Two or more members will be appointed by the presidents of different clubs and societies to arrange for Tag Day for the Associated Charities. The day chosen for Tag Day is Tuesday before Thanksgiving.

Mrs. R. B. Echols will entertain at her home, 1717 Houston street, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Six tables will be arranged for bridge.

Mrs. T. A. Austin will entertain with a movie party and lunch at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Ferguson.

Soldiers' Movie Show.

The opening movie show will take place at the Y. M. C. A. at Fort McIntosh beginning at 8 o'clock tonight. Civilians attending will be charged an admission of 11 cents. Everybody is invited to attend.

Entertainment.

Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara complimented a number of friends very delightfully Wednesday afternoon when they entertained them with a beautifully appointed party at the home of the latter. The living room was attractively arranged, yellow and white chrysanthemums, potted plants and ferns being used in decoration, while American Beauty Roses and white chrysanthemums were used in the dining room. In the games of bridge played the high score prize was

awarded Miss Inez Hill, who received a beautiful bungalow lunch set. The second high score fell to Mrs. W. H. Colbern, who was given a card-table cover and napkins. The low score was held by Mrs. Groff of Fort McIntosh, who received an embroidered towel. Consolation, a cut-glass bonbon dish, went to Mrs. J. S. Penn. A delicious two-course luncheon was served. The guests who enjoyed the delightful occasion were: Misses Eva Levi, Frances and Annie Alexander, Inez Hill and Maria Mowry; Mesdames Shelby, A. Wormser, Gump, Joseph, Mims, Jefferies, Hill, Brennan, Moyer of San Antonio, Black, Buck of San Antonio, R. L. Muller, Penn, Sauvignat, Daiches, Biggio, Lusk, Walker, Groff, Mally, Barlow, Christen, Cogley, Hall, Colbern, A. R. Smith, Greer, Foster, Witling, Fish, O'Meara, Echols, Hamlin, Gilbreath, Copeland and McElroy of San Antonio. Mrs. Morrow and Mrs. DaCamara were charmingly assisted by Mrs. Albert Offer and Mrs. Hamlin in entertaining their guests.

Parish Guild.

The members of the Parish Guild held a very delightful meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of their president, Mrs. H. W. Johnston. After a business session, during which a committee of two—Mrs. Younkia and Mrs. Kehl—were appointed to attend the meeting of the Associated Charities at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday afternoon, relative to Tag Day for that organization, and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Mason were appointed to solicit contributions of pies, cakes, bread, etc., for the Thanksgiving Sale, a delightfully informal reception was given for Rev. Chas. W. Cook, who has just returned from Detroit. Delicious sandwiches, cakes, coffee and tea were served. Mrs. Woodman poured tea and Mrs. MacGregor served coffee. Mr. Cook closed the meeting with a short talk. He thanked the people for sending him to the convention, and said what a great thing it was for him to meet these wonderful men and hear their remarks. He also spoke on different points relative to the convention, specializing on the part the women took and their splendid united offering. At the next convention the women delegates will be recognized as the "house of church women." He also made special mention of Cardinal Mercier's visit to the house of deputies. The bishops and all the women delegates and many others were present to greet Cardinal Mercier, "the hero priest of Belgium." He was accorded a wonderful and enthusiastic greeting and he responded with a short address, in which he spoke of America's friendship for Belgium, and what it meant to the Belgian people. Mr. Cook brings back many things of interest and moment to his people. Those enjoying the meeting yesterday besides Mr. Cook were: Mesdames Arthur, Adams, Anderson, Brewster, Cook, Denike, Kehl, Lines, Mason, MacGregor, Mims, Puster, Shahady, Young, Younkia, Woodman, Bush and Miss Amar Penn.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Ten years ago today occurred the great mine disaster at Cherry, Ill., in which more than 500 men lost their lives.

Charles Courtney, the celebrated coach of the Cornell University crews, will celebrate his 70th birthday today.

Americanization heads the list of topics to be discussed at the annual convention of the National W. C. T. U., which is to open a week's session in St. Louis today.

Seventeen of the larger typewriter and calculating machine companies of the United States have been cited by the Federal Trade Commission to appear in Washington today to answer complaints charging unfair competition.

Important present-day problems, with particular reference to the part that the colored race must bear to their permanent solution, will be discussed by prominent speakers at a readjustment and reconstruction congress which is to meet in Washington today under the auspices of Howard University.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barroco, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.
10-31-2m.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight fair; freezing temperature interior portion of Texas; probably frost. Friday fair; rising temperature.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 71 degs.
Min. temp. 43 degs.
General direction of wind: Northwest.
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EFFORT TO STOP THE MUNITION SHIPMENTS

AMERICAN CHARGE IN BRUSSELS
PROTESTS AGAINST ARMS
BEING SHIPPED INTO
MEXICO.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Efforts are being made by the American government to prevent the shipment of large supplies of arms and ammunition purchased in Europe by the Mexican government. One large order for munitions was placed with the Fabrique Nationale de Armes of Liege, Belgium, and it was learned at the state department that the American charge at Brussels protested against the shipment on the ground that it would be a violation of the international arms convention.

NO AMERICAN WILL ENTER CONFERENCE

HANDS OFF RUSSIA IS POLICY
OF AMERICAN DELEGATES
CONCERNING CONFER-
ENCE AT DORPAT.

By Associated Press.
Paris, Nov. 13.—"Hands Off Russia" is clearly the policy of the American delegation to the peace conference. No American will officially participate in the Dorpat conference.

Hold Conference at Tilsit.
London, Nov. 13.—The interallied commission to the Baltic states at its first sitting at Koebigsberg invited Col. Avaloff, Bernomdt's chief of staff, and commanders of independent detachments to attend a discussion at Tilsit. The commission promised the officers safe conducts.

Negotiations Begin Saturday.
Helsingfors, Nov. 13.—Peace negotiations between Estonians and the Bolsheviks begin Saturday. The Lithuanians will not participate.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots more inquiry; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 7,000; American 800. Good middling 25.42 (English pence). Middling 23.92. Futures easier. Nov. 23.20-44; Dec. 22.85-23.12; Jan. 22.25-52; March 21.25-57; May 10.66-96.
Close—Firm. Nov. 23.92; Dec. 23.50; Jan. 22.92; March 21.92; May 21.32.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 36.00-35.80; Jan. 35.05-34.95; March 33.80-60; May 22.60-50.
Close—Firm. Dec. 37.45-60; Jan. 36.50-60; March 35.92-19; May 34.05-10.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 36.20-27; Jan. 35.20-30; March 33.87-77; May 32.90-85.
Close—Steady. Dec. 37.75 flat; Jan. 36.35-40; March 35.15-22; May 34.18-22.

Houston.
Spots steady. 50 points up. Middling 41.50. Sales 528. To arrive 1.192.

Galveston.
Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 7000. F. O. B. 4.225.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children
Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Redon, Ga., phoned to J. M. Floyd, the merchant there, for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said she had bought a bottle of it at the store recently and that it was doing her children so much good that she wanted to keep up the treatment. You will find nothing better for coughs and colds in children or for yourself. It keeps the cough loose, expectoration easy and soon frees the system from the cold.

By Associated Press.
Duquoin, Ill., Nov. 13.—Complying with an order issued by the local union of miners following a mass meeting, all the hoisting engineers, firemen, pumpmen, mule feeders and other union men who had been permitted to keep the mines of the Twelfth district in running order left their posts. Whether this is a violation of the injunction granted the government is not generally known among the operators and miners, owing to the fact that the call was made at a mass meeting.

Returning in Small Fields.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Bituminous coal miners were expected to return to work in increasing numbers in many of the lesser fields, but what they would do in the great Pennsylvania and Illinois areas and in the Indiana and Kansas mines remained uncertain.

Radicals Threaten Trouble.
Washington, Nov. 13.—The activities of radicals threaten serious trouble in the bituminous coal field of West Virginia, according to reports to the department of justice. Meetings attended and directed by Russians have precipitated some violence.

LOOKING FOR MURDERER.
By Associated Press.
New Orleans, La., Nov. 13.—An order for the arrest of the murderer of Dr. Leopoldo Cordova has been issued and the officers expect to take him shortly at Alexandria, La. Superintendent of Police Mooney announced. The motive was unquestionably robbery, Mr. Mooney said.

CLOTURE FAILED.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Attempt of the Democratic senators to invoke the cloture rule to limit debate on the foreign relations committee's reservations to the peace treaty failed by a vote of 44 to 36. Senators Reed and Shields voting with the Republicans.

JUDGE EVANS HOLDS THE LAW IS INVALID

GRANTING INJUNCTION AGAINST
INTERFERING WITH SALE
OF LIQUOR BY THE
DISTILLERIES.

By Associated Press.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—Judge Walter Evans in the federal district court for the second time held today that in effect the wartime prohibition is unconstitutional, sustaining an attack upon the constitutionality of the Volstead enforcement act, granting an injunction restraining Elwood Hamilton, collector of internal revenue for Kentucky, and the district attorney from interfering with the sale by two Louisville distilleries of their "floor stock" of tax-paid whiskey.

WILL NOMINATE PRESIDENT.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Determined to make its strength felt in national politics, the year-old Labor party will nominate a candidate for president to return in the coming election.

KILLED AT START.
By Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—Lieut. R. M. Douglas, of the Australian Flying Corps, and Lieut. J. S. L. Ross, his navigator, who started from Hounslow today for Australia, were killed shortly after the start, their plane crashing to the ground.

LEGISLATOR FACES CHARGES.
Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—Much public interest manifested in the case of Frank Delehanty, a representative in the Ohio legislature from Cleveland, who is to be brought to trial here tomorrow on charges of alleged bribery in connection with the passage of a bill licensing chiropractors. Delehanty was indicted on two charges, that of soliciting a bribe and in connection with the passage of the bill. Announcement has been made that Attorney General Price will assist in the prosecution of the case.

MAN LYNCHED KNOWN AS I. W. W. ORGANIZER

CRIMINAL CHARGES BROUGHT
AGAINST TWENTY-SIX
MEN FOR TUESDAY'S
MURDERS.

By Associated Press.
Centraia, Wash., Nov. 13.—The man lynched Tuesday night has been identified as Ernest Everetts by the landlady of the rooming house where he lived for several months. He was working as an organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World. Criminal informations against 26 alleged members of the I. W. W. have been prepared, alleging either participation in or criminal knowledge of the killing Tuesday of four members of the American Legion in the Armistice parade.

ARKANSAS CITIES FACE LACK OF FUEL

GAS MAINS BLEW OUT, THERE
IS NO COAL IN THE LOCAL
YARDS AND WOOD
IS SCARCE.

By Associated Press.
Pine Bluff, Ark., Nov. 13.—Simultaneously with the first cold wave, bringing the temperature below freezing, the mains supplying gas to Pine Bluff and half a dozen other Arkansas cities were put out of service by a blow out. Industrial plants are cut off and the domestic supply is expected to fail late today. Not a ton of coal is in the local fuel yards and wood is scarce.

FEARED MOB VIOLENCE.
By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Nov. 13.—G. I. Rabberry and son Ike, involved in a shooting affray in Henderson county Sunday, were brought to the Dallas county jail today to insure their safety against mob violence.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.
In the textile trades in Finland two-thirds of the work is done by women.

About one-eighth of all the women in Italy are engaged in gainful occupations.

In some of the Swedish hotels women are charged half rates, because they eat less than men.

Suffrage for women is included in a proposed reform of the electoral law now under consideration by the Spanish Government.

The British Columbian Government proposes to give a silver cross, hung from a purple ribbon, to every mother in the Province who lost a son in the war.

At a cost of \$100,000 a cotton mills corporation of Danville, Va., has erected a modern hotel, where several hundred of its women employees may live at an expense of \$7.50 a week.

An insurance company for old maids is an institution in Denmark. A member pays a small weekly premium from the age of twenty to forty, and after that if unmarried she receives an annuity for life.

Mrs. E. C. Drury, wife of the new Premier of Ontario, declares she has been so busy raising a family of five children and attending to her duties as a farmer's wife that she has had no time to give attention to politics or to any of the so-called woman's movements.

German submarines arrived at Swedish port and requested to be interned.

THE ARMISTICE.

The anniversary of the day which really gave pause to the world war has passed and the people are more facing the other problems, compared with which the war is at present of little interest. Even the matter of the peace treaty now occasions little comment, and it is probable that when the senate finally ratifies the treaty the people will be much more interested in other affairs.

We have hardly as yet comprehended what the celebration of Armistice Day should really mean to us. In future days it may be that day will become a day of sport and of prize fighting, just as Thanksgiving Day and Decoration Day and even our own Independence Day have become. But the war is still close to us. Even yet many of our soldiers are on foreign soil, the peace treaty has not been ratified by our government, the returned soldiers are hardly yet accustomed to civil life and those who have lost sons or brothers are still acutely feeling the sorrow which the bereavement brought them.

The day is one for solemn rejoicing, and more to the United States than to other nations does its celebration appeal as something for which we were directly responsible. For there is no doubt that the entrance of our country into the world war shortened the period of strife by many months, if indeed it did not finally give victory to a cause that was almost hopeless.

We have a right to celebrate Armistice Day, for up to a few weeks before the entrance of our men into the actual hostilities the allies had been beaten back and were able to hold their lines only by the most heroic resistance to a foe flushed with conquest.

But from the moment our forces began fighting there was a change in the situation. The victories of the Americans were constant, and there never was a moment when our men had any doubt of the outcome of the struggle. Even the Germans themselves became disheartened when they saw the magnificent fighting of the American troops.

We should not attempt to belittle the work of the other allies. Our victories came to us because our troops were fresh, because the addition of so many fresh troops turned the battle tide by sheer force of numbers.

But while our men were dissatisfied because they had no further chance to prove their valor, the home folks were content that the defeated Germans recognized their situation and asked for an armistice. There was even doubt at the time whether the Germans would not take advantage of the breathing spell and resume hostilities.

The years to come will make of the day just passed a holiday that will serve to keep alive the memories of the sacrifices made, of the heroism shown, both by the troops and by their kinfolk at home, and of the debt we paid to our brothers in arms in Europe.

It will always be a reason for Americans in every part of the world to remember what the world owes to us, as well as the debt we owe to the other nations.

It will serve to foster the friendships made in the stress of war times and to keep our own soldiers from an ingrowing patriotism. It will remind those who took part in the war, whether at home or abroad, of the days when our country stretched forth a helping hand to the world and did more than any other nation in the final days to bring about peace.

It should be a day that tends to end political chicanery in our national legislature and causes all parties to unite on one thing: The honor and the glory of the United States of America, that detracts from no other country and asks nothing which is not its own.

We have a day when we decorate the graves of our departed soldiers. On Armistice Day we should remember the living, and do all in our power to honor those who fought to preserve the liberties of their own country and to extend to all others the right hand of fellowship, excepting only those unworthy to touch our hand until they have been washed.

THE I. W. W.

The report coming from the state of Washington of I. W. W. firing on the Armistice Day parade of former soldiers indicates that this menace to our country must be disposed of before we shall have any promise of security.

The I. W. W. have been strong in the Northwest. They have united in burning wheat fields and farm machinery, they have dominated elections in some of the smaller towns, they have even ordered certain people obnoxious to them to leave town.

But when the sedition law went into effect, it enabled the people of Washington and other neighboring states to better control the situation. And even then the I. W. W. were not disposed of; they were only keeping under cover.

So yesterday, when the Armistice Day parade was going on, the I. W. W. deliberately fired from their building, killing two former soldiers and wounding several others.

It is not surprising that the people of the town afterward rushed the jail, took out one of the criminals and lynched him. It is deplorable that such a thing was necessary, and

that perhaps the only way in which the people of that section can punish violators of the law is through another law violation.

But the people of Centralia will have learned their lesson. If any member of the I. W. W. remains in that town or the immediate neighborhood after this present affair is ended, it will be his own fault if he meets with trouble.

It is urged that a man has a right to his own political belief. But belief in the I. W. W. doctrine is not a political belief. It is based on criminality and cannot live without violence and outrage. The tenets of the I. W. W. are opposed to all law and order and government of any sort. The men who are directing the campaign of the I. W. W. lapse as readily into crimes of violence as any wild savage, and with less incentive.

The sight of the American flag or its defenders is like a red rag to a bull. They immediately proceed to attack—that is, if they think they are in superior numbers.

But they made a grave mistake in Centralia. No matter how overwhelming the numbers against them, Americans will never submit tamely to an attack on their flag or their uniform, especially on their own soil.

Mob violence is always to be deplored. But in this case, it was mob violence against mob violence. The I. W. W. had made an unwarranted, vicious attack on peaceable citizens engaged in celebrating a national holiday, and had killed two men who had rendered military service to their country.

It may be that the men who did the killing would have been given a fair and impartial trial, with the resultant punishment for their grave offense. But the people of Centralia were enraged at the senseless outrage of the I. W. W. mob. They determined to avenge the death of their fellow citizens, whose only offense against the I. W. W. was that they were loyal patriots wearing the uniform of their country's defenders, and the murderer was taken from the jail and hanged.

It may be that the act of the Centralia people will put an end to further I. W. W. propaganda in that section. At least, it will have the salutary effect of preventing further outrages like that of Armistice Day, and hereafter, if the I. W. W. want to commit any more murders they will do so secretly and not flaunt their murderous disloyalty in the face of American citizens.

The one pity is that the mob, while violating the law, did not make their crime complete, instead of singling out an individual. As well be hung for a sheep as a lamb, said the old proverb, and the other "Wobblies" were no doubt as guilty as the one who suffered the penalty.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barrocco, Barritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.

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IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 12.

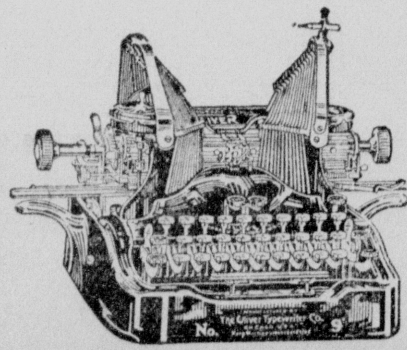
Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, who is to be inaugurated today as president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., an institution for the education of the negro, is a native of Carleton, Nova Scotia, who was educated at Bates College and at Boston University. His early years of active life in the world of men were spent in the ministerial ranks of the Free Baptist denomination and with churches in Maine and other parts of New England. In 1890 he joined the Congregational denomination and for some years has been living and preaching in Brockton, Mass. Howard University, which is one of the largest and best-known institutions of its kind in the country, was founded by New Englanders and most, if not all, of its presidents have been of the Congregational denomination.

On a tiny island in the Japan Sea, near Nagasaki, is a most extraordinary coal mine. The surface of the island is only sufficient for the shafts and hoisting machinery, and the tunnels extend for various directions under the sea.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 12.
Official announcement of the abdication of Emperor Charles of Austria. Socialist Government in Berlin proceeded toward full control.

This Means Rou.

When you get up with a bad taste in your mouth, a dull tired feeling, no relish for food and are constipated, you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only cause an agreeable movement of the bowels, but cleanse and invigorate the stomach and improve the digestion.

TIMES WANT ADS.
Money Makers

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 12.
Rt. Hon. Thomas Burt, the first laboring man ever entered the British parliament, born 82 years ago today. William Collier, a celebrated comedian of the American stage, born in New York City, 51 years ago today. Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Strong, U. S. A., who reaches the retiring age today, born at Paw, Mich., 64 years ago today. Cecil Chesterton, noted English author, editor and critic, born in Kensington, 40 years ago today.

Nov. Dec. Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr.



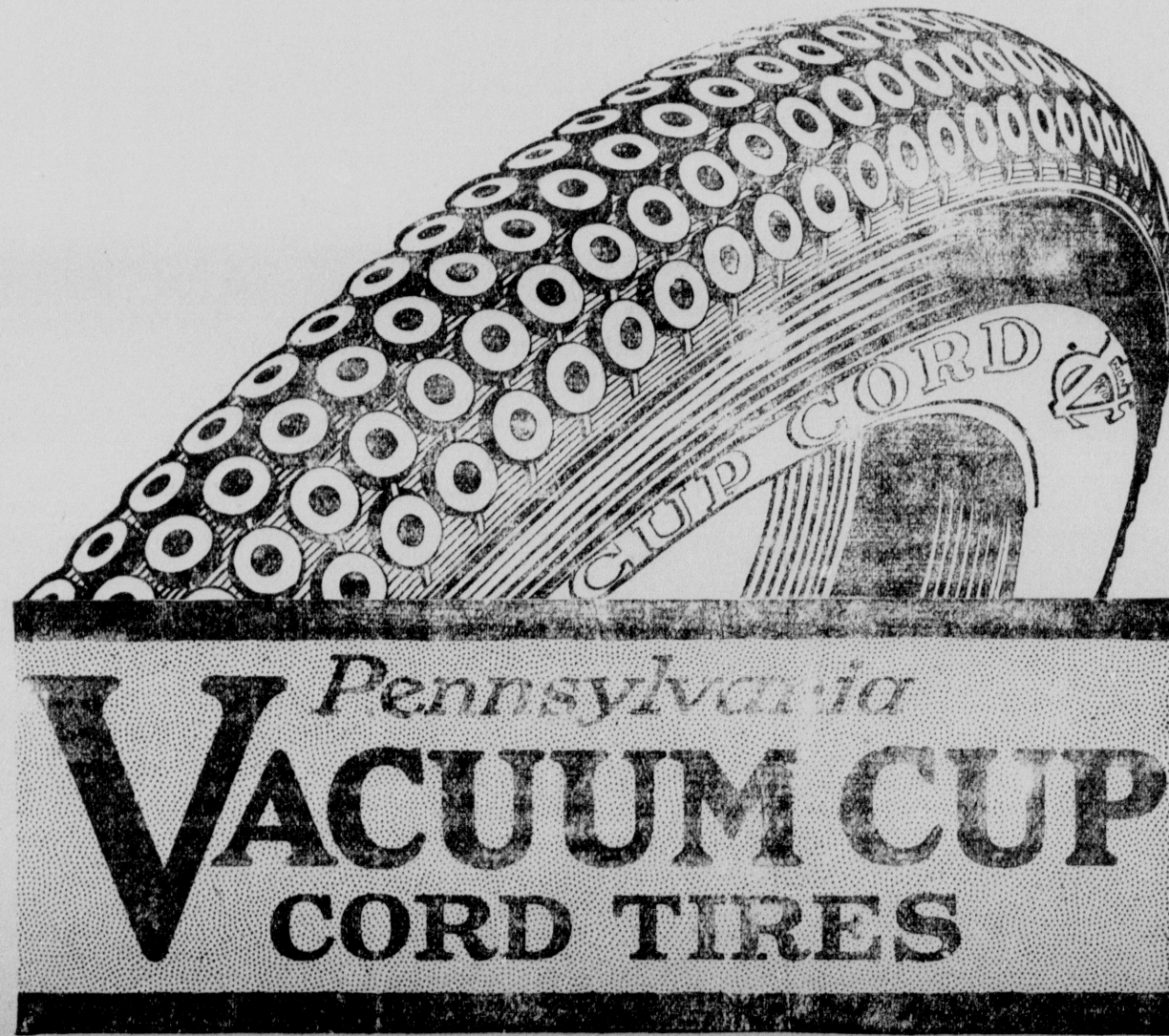
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33x4	40.05	56.00	50.45	5.50	6.90
34x4	40.85	57.40	51.65	5.65	7.05
32x4 1/2	52.75	61.35	53.75	6.80	8.50
33x4 1/2	54.90	63.00	55.20	6.95	8.70
34x4 1/2	55.35	64.65	58.20	7.00	8.75
35x4 1/2	57.60	66.15	59.60	7.10	8.90
36x4 1/2	58.20	67.80	61.00	7.30	9.15
33x5	67.40	76.60	68.95	8.05	10.05
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FILIBUSTER CASES CALLED; DEFENDANTS PLEAD GUILTY

Gen. Mendoza and Nemesio Garcia Naranjo Plead Guilty, Alfredo Gayon Not Present; Other Business.

Federal court is still busily engaged in the transaction of business coming before it and will probably finish its work by Friday afternoon. The following business was transacted in the court yesterday:

The grand jury returned eight more bills of indictment against various parties, making a total of twelve bills up to that time. Most of these cases were called yesterday afternoon and pleas of guilty entered, while in some other cases the charges were either dismissed or the cases continued.

The jury in the case of M. Coppell & Co. vs. Wormser Bros., which had been on trial in the court from Monday morning until Tuesday forenoon, brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff.

The most important business coming before the court yesterday afternoon was the calling of the cases against General Santiago Mendoza of this city, Nemesio Garcia Naranjo of San Antonio, and Roberto Gayon of New York, former private secretary of the late General Aurelio Blanquet, who was accidentally killed at Vera Cruz, these three men being charged with attempting to set on foot a filibuster expedition to Mexico. Mendoza and Naranjo entered pleas of guilty to the charges preferred against them, while Gayon, being absent, will have his case called later in the term. The sentences against Mendoza and Naranjo will be pronounced by Judge Hutchison before court adjourns for the term.

This morning in federal court Abel Cantu and Guillermo Gutierrez, Jr., two members of the Laredo police force, were granted their final naturalization papers.

Five cases in which the defendants were indicted for smuggling and other offenses, returned in bills of indictment yesterday, were punished by fines of \$50 or from ten to thirty days in the county jail. Some of the defendants paid their fines and were discharged, while others went to jail.

Ferdinand Wormser, one of Laredo's prominent business men, has been named as chairman for Webb county for the 1919 Red Cross Christmas Seal campaign and is already busily engaged planning for the appointment of the various sub-committees who will assist him in the work.

The sale of these Red Cross Christmas seals is for a most laudable purpose and their mission of mercy should encourage everyone to buy as many of the little seals as they can use, at one cent each, remembering that every cent expended by them is virtually a contribution to the relief work being done for suffering humanity in the tubercular camps, etc.

FERDINAND WORMSER NAMED AS CHAIRMAN WEBB COUNTY

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TAG DAY BEING PLANNED FOR THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

Committees to Be Appointed and Day Chosen is Tuesday Before Thanksgiving Day.

The Associated Charities are arranging for a Tag Day for Tuesday before Thanksgiving Day and all religious and social organizations are asked to appoint a committee of two to meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when arrangements will be perfected.

Preached in Pearsall.

Rev. F. Gaylord Roberts has returned from Pearsall, where he preached last Sunday, and will be in his pulpit at the Christian church next Sunday as usual. Rev. Roberts has been appointed captain of the following counties, Bander, Frio, Webb and Dimmitt, for raising a sum of money for benevolent, educational and missionary purposes for the Christian church for the year 1919-1920.

WOMEN! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS!

You who tire easily; are pale, haggard and worn; nervous or irritable; who are subject to fits of melancholy or the "blues," get your blood examined for iron deficiency. Nuxated Iron taken three times a day after meals will increase your strength and endurance in two weeks' time in many cases.—Ferdinand King, M.D.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 50c. per month.

LAREDO WENT OVER THE TOP IN RED CROSS DRIVE

SURPLUS OF OVER \$500 ABOVE THE QUOTA SET.

Due to Splendid Organization the Work of the Third Roll Call Resulted in Subscriptions \$3,574.50.

The Third Roll Call Drive of the Red Cross came to a triumphant close in Laredo last evening, the quota set for Webb county having been exceeded by over \$500. The committees, though somewhat exhausted by their labors, are content with the result, and are very happy over the fact that Laredo has once more done her duty.

The results, as summarized, are as follows:

Annual Memberships\$3,442.00
Magazine Memberships (five) 12.50
Contributing Memberships (four) 20.00
Patron Memberships (one) 100.00

Total.....\$3,574.50

The committee reports as follows on the cash prizes for the booths: After hearing reports from various committees, the prizes were awarded as follows:

For the booth showing the best returns, Booth No. 7, Immigration Station, in charge of Mrs. J. E. Trout. For the booth showing the second best returns, Booth No. 11, Strand Theater, in charge of Mrs. Ricardo Gonzalez.

For the most artistic booth, Booth No. 3 at the City Drug Co., in charge of Mrs. L. V. Boniger.

For the most artistic booth at the least cost, Booth No. 5, Heights Civic Club, in charge of Mrs. O. H. Guinn.

For the best arranged booth, Booth No. 10, Royal Theater, in charge of Mrs. Flora D. Anderson.

M. W. BRENNAN,
Chairman Webb County Chapter.

MRS. W. N. YOUNG,
Chairman Publicity Committee.

MRS. G. W. DERBY,
Chairman Third Roll Call.

The committee desires to extend its most hearty thanks to the chairmen of the various committees, to those who assisted in the drive, to the merchants and to the press of the city for assistance in making this latest drive a success.

NEBLETT WINS CIVIL SUIT AGAINST FORMER PARTNER

After Five Days Trial Before Jury in District Court Here, Neblett Gets Judgment for Sum of \$1,625.

After occupying the time of the district court here for five days, or from last Thursday morning up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the arguments were completed, the case of Neblett vs. O'Mears, suit for partition of the funds of the partnership formerly existing between these two attorneys, which was dissolved some months ago, went to the jury yesterday afternoon.

The plaintiff in the suit was represented by himself, R. L. Bobbitt and T. C. Mann, while O'Mears was represented by himself and John L. Dannelley. After being out a short time the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, Neblett, for the sum of \$1,625.

FOR ITCHING TORTURE Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with Zemo, which generally overcomes skin diseases. Eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

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THANKSGIVING DAY NEAR; TURKEYS ARE OUT OF SIGHT

Soldiers Are Preparing to Observe the Day With Usual Big Thanksgiving Dinner at Ft. McIntosh.

Two weeks from tomorrow, November 27, will be Thanksgiving Day, an occasion that will be celebrated throughout the civilized world this year in a more sincere manner than ever before, for the world war is over and the world is back to peace conditions, though perturbed by strike and other disturbances, which are only minor matters compared to the great conflict that had raged.

On Thanksgiving Day it is the custom for nearly every household to have its supply of turkey on the family board that day, but the prices of turkeys have ranged to such high prices that many will this year forego the luxury. While no announcement has yet been made of the usual football game on Thanksgiving Day, it is probable that there will be a game here at Fort McIntosh, where the soldiers of the Thirty-seventh Infantry will have their company Thanksgiving dinners on that day and the national bird will be a conspicuous part of their menus. After the soldier boys get their fill of turkey on Thanksgiving Day they generally remember the poor, who gather about the post in large numbers to get something to eat from Uncle Sam's big-hearted soldier boys,

From Tuesday's Daily.

SCIATIC PAINS QUICKLY RELIEVED

Keep Sloan's, the World's Liniment handy to allay aches

THOUSANDS of men and women, when the least little rheumatic "crick" assails them, have Sloan's Liniment handy to knock it out. Popular a third of a century ago—far more popular today.

That's because it is so wonderfully helpful in relieving all external aches and pains—sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, overstrained muscles, stiff joints, weather exposure results. A little is all that is necessary, for it soon penetrates without rubbing to the sore spot. Leaves no muss, stained skin, clogged pores. A bottle today is a wise precaution. Keep it handy.

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PERSONALS

L. H. Bruni of Bruni is in the city. Ignacio Sanchez of Zapata is a visitor in the city.

Special Deputy Collector of Customs Ed Cotulla of San Antonio is among those here in attendance on federal court.

Dr. D. Davis of Dolores is in the city attending the session of the county commissioners court.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Webb.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for twenty days, in some newspaper published in said County the following:

All persons interested in the Estate of Virginia J. Penn, deceased, are hereby notified, that Justo S. Penn, executor of said estate, has presented his account for final settlement, which will be acted upon at the next term of the County Court, beginning on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1919; and this is to require all such persons to appear and contest the same if they see proper.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and seal of office, at Laredo, Texas, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1919.

J. A. RODRIGUEZ,
Clerk Co. Court, Webb Co., Texas.
Came to hand this 10th day of November, A. D. 1919, at 3 P. M., and ordered published in the Laredo Daily Times.

ANTONIO SALINAS,
Sheriff, Webb Co., Texas.
By F. H. LIGARDE, Deputy.

THE GIRL WITH THE MILLION-DOLLAR SMILE.

Dorothy Wallace, "the-girl-with-the-million-dollar-smile," with her ten-thousand-dollar wardrobe, makes her first appearance in United Picture Theatres production in support of Dustin Farnum in "A Man's Fight." She plays the part of a New York society girl who later becomes a nun, and her personality and histrionic ability are delightful movie fans.

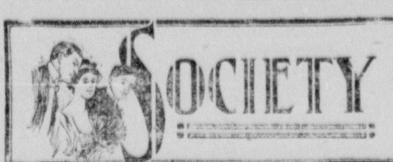
Dorothy Wallace went to New York City a couple of years ago to study art and took up her abode in Greenwich Village. There her wonderful beauty attracted the attention of James Montgomery Flagg, the artist, who chose Miss Wallace out of six hundred applicants for his poster girl. She later appeared in the Flagg serials and has smiled at you from many magazine covers. Later, Miss Wallace came to Los Angeles and has appeared prominently in the support of Gloria Swanson, Olive Thomas, and other screen stars. Mr. J. A. Berst, president of United Picture Theatres of America, Inc., while looking for a particular type for the Farnum picture, saw Miss Wallace on the screen, was attracted by her beauty and talent, and her present engagement was the logical result.

Miss Wallace is a globe trotter, having traveled with her parents all over the world. In India, an Indian prince fell violently in love with her, and on another occasion her parents were obliged to leave Stambul with their daughter in order that she might escape the ardent attentions of Turkish royalty. Miss Wallace was in Berlin just before the great war broke out, and had an exciting experience in getting home.

She can drive, swim, ride horseback and likes to play the piano. She is a "native daughter" of California, having been born in San Francisco.

"A Man's Fight" comes to the Strand Theatre on Wednesday.

In Sweden, young girls place under three cups a ring, a coin, and a piece of black ribbon. If the ring is first accidentally exposed, she will be married within a year; if the money, she will get a rich husband; if the ribbon she will die an old maid.



Mrs. Violet S. Oberfeldt
Society Editor

Phone 70 Phone 43

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Tuesday.

The Tuesday Music and Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Nye at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church will meet at the Rectory at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Shubert Band will meet at the Baptist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday.

Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain at bridge at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of the latter.

The Parish Guild will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Is Life Worth Living?

It depends on your believing. If it ends with this short span, Then is man no better than The beasts that perish. But a Lifter Hope we cherish "Life out of Death" is written wide Across Life's page on every side. We can not think as ended our dear dead who died.

What room is left us then for doubt or fear?

Love laughs at thought and ending—there, or here.

God would lack meaning if this world were all, And this short life but one long funeral.

God is! Christ loves! Christ lives! And by His Own Returning gives Sure pledge of Immortality. The first-fruits—He; and we—The harvest of His victory. The life beyond shall this life far transcend. And Death is the Beginning—not the End!

—John Oxenham in "All's Well."

George H. Doran Co., New York.

General Mention.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert T. Cook arrived in the city yesterday from Dolores. Dr. Cook left last night for his home in Manor, while Mrs. Cook returned this morning to Dolores for a longer visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Davis.

Mrs. S. S. Wilcox after spending a few days in San Antonio visiting relatives and friends will return home tomorrow. She will be accompanied by her brother, Mr. F. W. Jones.

Mr. J. B. DaCamara returned from San Antonio yesterday, and Mrs. DaCamara went on to Pleasanton to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Laro.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and children returned Saturday from San Antonio.

Mrs. Hal Greer returned Sunday from a visit to several points in the state. She enjoyed attending the convention of the Y. W. C. A. in Dallas, where she went as a delegate from Laredo.

Mrs. C. Dubose returned to her home in San Antonio yesterday morning, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. R. L. Woodul.

Mrs. S. N. Johnston returned Saturday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mr. R. L. Woodul returned yesterday morning from a trip to Kansas City, Whiting, Kansas, and Fort Smith, Arkansas, where he visited his mother, Mrs. A. L. Woodul, who accompanied him home for an extended visit.

Mrs. J. A. Dickey, who has been spending a few days in San Antonio, is expected home on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat and little daughter expect to leave Friday for San Antonio to hear the Vatican Choir. They will be joined there by their son, Victor Sauvignat, from Austin.

Mrs. Herring and children of Idaho are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. F. W. Shanks, and sister, Mrs. W. L. Barr.

Miss Nancy McDaniel of Illinois is in the city visiting her brother, Mr. Charles McDaniel.

Announcements.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton will entertain Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at auction bridge, comprising a number of friends.

Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a business meeting at the church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. K. Thompson conducted the meeting. Two new

members were taken in. Those present were: Mesdames Lampman, Shanks, J. W. Ward, Barr, Brient, Miller, J. K. Thompson, A. G. Thompson, Burroughs, Crawford and Guinn.

Monday Bridge Club.

The members of the Monday Bridge Club and a number of guests were most delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. S. Penn. The rooms were prettily decorated in white chrysanthemums and ferns. In the series of games of bridge played the club prize, a creamer and sugar in etched glass, was won by Mrs. John M. Martin. The guest prize, a set of cups and saucers, went to Miss Maria Mowry. The guest prize, a set of cups and saucers, went to Miss Maria Mowry. The hostess served delicious enchiladas and coffee and a sweet course after the games. Those enjoying the pleasure of the occasion were: Club members—Mesdames Joe Moser, E. J. Foster, T. A. Leyendecker, J. C. Martin, John M. Martin, C. C. Jofferies, E. H. Sauvignat and L. A. Lafon; guests—Misses Eva Levi, Frances and Annie Alexander and Maria Mowry; Mesdames Gumpert, Wormser, Joseph, Hill and George Moyer of San Antonio.

Gallagher-Garza.

A pretty home wedding took place last evening at 8 o'clock when Miss Aurora, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. de la Garza, was given in marriage to Mr. David Owen Gallagher, Judge Benavides performing the ceremony. The handsome home was most attractive in its bridal decoration. The reception hall was artistic in white chrysanthemums and ferns. The east parlor, where the ceremony took place, was beautiful in scores of gardenias which came from Mexico City, ferns and palms. To the strains of the wedding march played by the Villar orchestra the bridal party entered in the following order: The bridesmaids, Misses Virginia Gutierrez, Margarita de la Garza and Irene Gomez, in charming gowns of peach-colored silk messaline, wearing hats of black velvet trimmed in peach and carrying shower bouquets of American Beauty roses, entered first, walking alone. They were followed by the matron of honor, Mrs. Rosa Palacios, who was gowned in a handsome peach-colored silk messaline, embroidered. She wore a black velvet hat and carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty roses. She preceded the bride, who entered with her brother, Mr. Bernardo de la Garza. She was beautiful in her bridal gown of white duchesse satin, heavily embroidered in pearls, made in draped effect. Her veil was worn in Juliet cap effect and was held in place by sprays of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and ferns. The groom was attended by the best man, Mr. Palacios. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate buffet supper was served in the dining room, which was effectively decorated in quantities of white chrysanthemums, ferns and palms. The table was artistically arranged and was centrally adorned by a large wedding cake encircled by snowy chrysanthemums and sprays of delicate ferns. The Villar orchestra played throughout the evening, and about one hundred guests were present. Later a delightful reception and dance was given at the Latin-American Club, and about 150 friends were present to felicitate the happy young people. Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher are at the Hamilton Hotel for a short stay, after which they will leave for San Antonio.

UNION FILARMONICA GIVES ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT

Local Musician Union Celebrates Its First Anniversary With Program at Market Hall.

The Laredo Union de Filarmonicos will give a musical-literary program tonight at Market Hall in celebration of their first anniversary. The program follows:

Overture, "Pique Dame," Orquesta "Reforma"

Reading of the Constitution and report of work done during the year By Secretary

Official Address, Sr. Guillermo Aguirre y Piarro

Music, Orquesta

Recitation, Little Miss Raquel Varela

Address by Master Cristobal M. Bel-derrain of Instituto Dominguez.

INTERMISSION.

Selection from Massenet's opera "Manon," by Strand Orchestra, member of the Union, under direction of Honorary Member, Prof. J. M. del Villar.

Installation of new Board of Directors. Dance, "Un Beso entre las Sombras," Escalch, violin duo with piano accompaniment, by Members Eusebio Lazcano, Enrique Arechiga and Prof. Villar.

Poem, Lic. Rafael Trujillo

Napoleonic Scenes from Massenet: (a) La Dance; (b) La Fete; Strand Orchestra.

IN EVENING ATTIRE.

Young Gazp!—There goes Mrs. Lastword. They say every cent her husband makes she puts on her back. Old Progle—Poor fellow! He must have been out of work when that gown was made.

BAPTIST WOMEN TO RAISE \$15,000,000

FIFTH OF SUM SOUGHT IN FIVE-YEAR PROGRAM WILL COME FROM THEM.

ARE DOING A LARGE WORK

Hospitals, Mountain Schools, Good Will Centers and Church Building Funds Maintained by Them in Addition to Regular Gifts.



MISS KATHLEEN MALLORY
Corresponding Secretary, W. M. U., Baltimore.

Evidencing the larger sphere which women have come to occupy in church life, as well as other activities, when the Baptist 75 Million Campaign was decided upon at the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta last May, the women, through their regular organization, the Woman's Missionary Union, at once agreed to be responsible for one-fifth of the sum sought, or \$15,000,000. This means that the Baptist women of the South will raise for missions of all kinds, Christian education and benevolences, the sum of \$3,000,000 a year for the next five years, in addition to their contributions to local enterprises and special work.

Through the channels of the Woman's Missionary Union, with headquarters at Baltimore, Md., the Baptist women of the South have since their organization contributed more than \$5,000,000 in cash to various denominational purposes. With the addition of boxes of food and clothing sent to orphanages and other benevolent institutions, the total of their contributions through this channel has reached \$5,710,433.71.

Miss Kathleen Mallory is the corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union, and in appreciation of the service she has rendered in that connection the Baptist women of Alabama have established the Kathleen Mallory Hospital for Women at Lathrop-Fu, Shantung, China. Miss Mallory being a native of Alabama.

Women of many of the other states have also undertaken special enterprises of their own. Those of Georgia, for instance, established the Ayers Hospital for Women at Hwanghai, China, a girls' school at Tumamoto, Japan, the Catherine Bryan Kindergarten School at Canton, China, and the Mary P. Willingham School for Girls at Blue Ridge, Ga., a school designed especially for the education of girls in the mountainous section of that state.

Many of the other state unions have special projects such as Good Will Centers in the tenement, factory and mining districts, where effort is made to bring more sunshine and enlightenment and love into the home and lives of needy families, especially those of foreign birth; church building funds, scholarships for young women who want to obtain training for special Christian service, and similar undertakings.

The general W. M. U., representing all the women of the Southern Baptist Convention, owns and operates the Women's Training School at Louisville, Ky., which has already sent out 700 trained women for special service in all parts of the world; and has established the Margaret Fund for the education in the Baptist schools of the South the sons and daughters of missionaries on the foreign fields, and the Fannie E. S. Heck Memorial, a church building fund established in honor of one of the greatest leaders of Southern Baptist women have known.

But money for the support of these institutions as well as that for the payment of the women's pledge of \$15,000,000 in the 75 Million Campaign, will be raised by the actual work of the women and through economy and sacrifice. Church fairs, bazaars, suppers, ice cream socials and the like are frowned upon by the organized Baptist women of the South as unworthy means for raising funds for carrying forward the work of the kingdom of God and their contributions will not come from this source, it is announced.

NATION WIDE STRIKE OF COAL MINERS WAS CALLED OFF BY THE INTERNATIONAL CHIEFS

Lewis Said "We are Americans; We Cannot Fight Our Government"—Judge Anderson Said Order was an Effort in Good Faith to Comply With the Mandate of the Court Ending the Strike.

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—An order calling off the nation-wide bituminous coal strike was issued today following the decision of the general committee of the United Mine Workers early this morning to obey the mandate of United States District Judge Anderson issued Saturday. The general committee, composed of the international officers, district presidents and members of the executive board and scale committee, reached the decision at 4:10 o'clock this morning after 17 hours of discussion and adjourned five minutes later to reconvene at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

"Gentlemen, we will comply with the mandate of the court. We do it under protest. We are Americans. We cannot fight our government. That is all," was the statement of acting President Lewis in announcing the decision. Other members of the conference, apparently worn out by the long hours of discussion, declined to add to the statement of their chief and soon dispersed.

Shortly before the conference adjourned, President Lewis and Secretary Treasurer William Green held a long conference in the parlor of the hotel and late Lewis was seen pacing up and down the floor with his head bowed as if in deep study. Developments following this conference came rapidly.

The recall of the strike order will open the way immediately for a resumption of negotiations, as the operators have announced their readiness to consider a new wage agreement at any time the strike order was withdrawn. It is also understood that the question of arbitration entered largely into the discussion, but the miners' position on this subject was not announced. The question of how many diggers would obey the order is problematical. In some districts it is considered that the resumption of work will be general, in others only partial and in some the return will be very slow. The order calling off the strike, under the court order, must be on the way to the miners' membership by 6 o'clock tonight.

Anderson Approved Order.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—Judge Anderson in the federal court at 10 o'clock today approved the order of the executive board of the United Mine Workers calling off the strike. The attorneys of the miners promised to try to have it in the mails by 6 o'clock. The text of the order follows:

"Dear Sirs and Brothers: In obedience to the mandate issued November 8th by the United States court for the district of Indiana, Judge A. B. Anderson presiding, the undersigned hereby advise you that the order of October 15 directing cessation of operations in the bituminous coal field of our jurisdiction is hereby drawn and cancelled. Yours fraternally, William Green, Secretary-Treasurer; John L. Lewis, President."

Judge Anderson characterized the order as a "good faith effort" to comply with his mandate.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Government officials here received with undisguised relief the announcement from Indianapolis that the executives of the United Mine Workers had voted to call off the strike.

Call Them Together.

Washington, Nov. 11.—"I shall immediately call the miners and operators together to negotiate a wage agreement," Secretary of Labor Wilson said after a meeting of the president's cabinet.

Iowa Miners Won't Return.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 11.—Iowa miners will not return to work, in the opinion of Joseph Morris, vice president of district 13.

Advised to Ignore Order.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 11.—Word is being passed among the miners here, as reflected in talks with individual

miners, to ignore the order to return to work.

Texas Miners Will Obey.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—Texas miners will obey the orders to return to work when received, said Ed Cunningham, former district president. Twenty-five hundred miners are affected in Texas.

BURIED IN QUERETARO.

Mexico City, Nov. 11.—Señora Carranza, wife of the president, was buried today in Queretaro.

RAIDED SINN FEINERS.

Dublin, Nov. 11.—The Sinn Fein parliament was raided today and nine men arrested.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co., agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world.

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots fair, demand; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 49,000; American 30,000. Good middling 26.81 (English pence). Middling 25.31. Futures steady. Nov. 24.75-88; Dec. 24.23-40; Jan. 23.78-84; March 22.76-80; May 22.05-13.
Close—Very steady. Nov. 25.05; Dec. 24.63; Jan. 23.99; March 22.98; May 22.32.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 37.75-90; Jan. 37.10-30; March 36.25-30; May 35.60-59.
Close—Easy. Dec. 38.15-20; Jan. 37.16-20; March 36.08-15; May 35.16-17.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 38.60-55; Jan. 37.50-40; March 36.20-30; May 35.60-62.
Close—Steady. Dec. 38.60-67; Jan. 37.49-52; March 36.20-26; May 35.20-23.

Houston.
Spots steady, 50 points up. Middling 42.00. Sales 629. To arrive 3,566.

Galveston.
Spots firm, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 9. F. O. B. 4,860.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

In Finland many women are employed as hands in the sawmills. In Ancient Rome no women over fifty years old was allowed to marry. The Basque women of Spain think they render themselves beautiful by shaving their heads.

In Greenland all the negotiations for a marriage are transacted between the parents of the interested parties.

As secretary of the local chamber of commerce, Mrs. Katherine Robinson helps to keep Centralia, Wash., on the map.

In the Isle of Man every widow is entitled to half of her husband's personal estate, and she cannot be deprived of this by will.

A recent innovation in Republican politics in Indiana has been the active participation of women political leaders in the congressional district conferences.

The salary committee of the Massachusetts Teachers' Federation has reported that an unmarried woman teacher today needs an annual income of at least \$1812.

Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy, who has been chosen first president of the new International Association of Women Physicians, in a resident of Portland, Ore., and during the war was prominent in Red Cross work, both in America and abroad.

Under a new scale recently put into effect by the United States Railway Administration, the women employed as coach cleaners are paid at a rate of 45 cents an hour.

Girls attending a prominent school in Brooklyn have just received a tragic blow. Cosmetics, short skirts and open-work waists have been banned by the school authorities.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,

Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1888.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FORT WORTH PUPILS WENT OUT ON STRIKE

REFUSED HOLIDAY ON ARMISTICE DAY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WALKED OUT.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—The students of North Fort Worth High School struck when the school board refused to declare a holiday today. The trustees hastily met and ordered a holiday. The students, however, continued the strike.

Waco Pupils Struck.

Waco, Texas, Nov. 11.—The senior class of the Waco High School and a few juniors struck because the principal refused a holiday today.

CHINA DENIES REPORT.

Peking, Nov. 11.—It is officially denied that the Chinese government contemplates opening direct negotiations with Japan over the restoration of Tsing-tau.

BURNED BY MOB.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 11.—Jordan Jamieson, a negro who Friday shot and killed Sheriff Groer, was taken from officers at Magnolia today and burned on the public square at Magnolia.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Observance of Martinmas. Armistice Day, the first anniversary of the ending of hostilities in the great war.

The State of Washington is thirty years old today, having been admitted to the Union on Nov. 11, 1889.

King Victor Emmanuel III, who led Italy to victory in the world war, celebrated his 50th birthday today.

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire today enters upon his fourth year as Governor-General of Canada.

By legislative act or gubernatorial proclamation more than half the States will observe Armistice Day as a holiday.

In Canada Armistice Day is to be widely celebrated under the auspices of the Great War Veterans' Association.

Armistice Day is to be celebrated in France by a military pilgrimage, over which the Archbishop of Rheims will preside.

The President of the French Republic and Mme. Poincare are to arrive in London today as guests of King George and the British nation.

Orchard and garden products of many States will be placed on display in Des Moines today at the opening of the annual Mid-West Horticultural Exposition.

The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws is to be conferred on General Sir Arthur Currie by the University of Toronto at a special convocation today.

Georgians are to hold a "cost of living" conference at Atlanta today, with A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney-general of the United States, as the chief speaker.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Holiday. No report.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Holiday. No report.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children

Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Redon, Ga., phoned to J. M. Floyd, the merchant there, for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said she had bought a bottle of it at the store recently and that it was doing her children so much good that she wanted to keep up the treatment. You will find nothing better for coughs and colds in children or for yourself. It keeps the cough loose, expectoration easy and soon frees the system from the cold.

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From Monday's Daily.

ATTACKING DESPOTISM.

There was a time, soon after our Civil War, when a despotism was exercised in this country from which all classes save the privileged class suffered. It was the despotism of capital, brought into power by the demand for production and the ownership of patents, and it was cruel in some of its manifestations. The industrial class was given a power that mere financial possessions had never before given any class.

Out of the strife engendered by the exploitation of the working people came another power, a power which has of late threatened to overturn the free institutions which were respected by the capitalists. The labor unions, beginning to realize the power of the directed millions, came to believe that they were the people, and while they attempted to array the masses against the classes, they were fast becoming a class that arrayed itself against the masses.

Not merely because they were workers did they claim the right to rule, but because they were the aristocrats of the workers—the selected few, the men with brains enough to organize and dominate the unorganized.

By shrewd appeals to class hatreds which had been engendered by the same conditions which brought the labor unions into being, the leaders of the labor movement were able to secure the following of the unthinking, the ignorant, the rabble.

And now they are attempting to override the privileges of all other American citizens. They demand where they should petition, and they order where they should obey, forgetting that all power comes from the people, and that no oligarchy ever lasted long.

The appeal of the labor unions for all to unite against capital, which is so indefinite as to require a clean-cut definition, is falling of its object. The people are beginning to find out that capital, in the final analysis, does not mean an octopus with many arms reaching out after the wealth of all, but that it is the accumulation of the wealth of sometimes comparatively poor people with that of the more wealthy, which is used as the working basis of the industry that employs labor.

Labor itself is capital, for without the skill and the strength and the health of the working people, there could be no industry. And yet labor attacks capital, with capital fighting back for its own self-preservation, until the whole world is torn by the conflict.

Now comes the congressional committee which has been investigating the steel strike and declares that there is no place in this country for a despotism of any sort, whether it be the despotism of capital or that of labor. Says the committee:

"The public has a right to demand that capital shall not arrogate to itself the right to determine in its own way those industrial questions, and it is the same as to labor."

In other words, the people have a right to have all industrial questions settled for the greatest good of the greatest number. It is not only the striker or his employer who is affected by a strike; it is the rest of the people who eventually pay most for the composition of the differences.

We no longer bow down to a crowned head. We have the right to refuse to accept the domination of any class, whether it be the crowned nobility of the capitalists or the humbler and ruder nobility of the workmen. There are millions who cannot be classed among either group who have just as much right to live and enjoy liberty as have either of these would-be despotic classes.

The world safe for democracy does not include domination by either capital or labor, and the world is coming to understand its rights and privileges as they have never before been known.

Down with despotism, whether it be that of the employing on the employed classes. We have no room for classes. We are all alike citizens of the great republic and shall call no man master.

THE PEOPLE'S DOCUMENT.

In a recent editorial the Sacramento Bee declared that the federal constitution should be the people's document; theirs to alter or amend, and theirs to approve or reject.

So much is this recognized by the present ruling powers in our country that only a short time ago the federal constitution was so amended as to require the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people, instead of by the state legislatures, as formerly required by the constitution.

There are some who insist that we do not touch the constitution; that it is too sacred for profane hands to touch. Yet these same persons who object to the people having a voice in the altering or amending of the constitution would be among the first to demand a change if they felt that their interests were thereby conserved.

As the case now stands, the constitution may be amended by a certain majority in the congress voting for submission to the various state legislatures of the proposed change, and three-quarters of the legislatures "ratifying" the amendment.

In this the people have no voice. They cannot even suggest a change, but must leave it to the representatives and senators in the federal legislative body to propose it, afterward depending upon the state legislatures to vote for its approval.

Those who suggest that the constitution should be in the hands of the people to amend or alter are answered by the statement that ours is a representative government, and that the people have faith in their representatives to conduct their business for them.

But have they? Is it always the case that the act of a representative or senator meets with the popular approval? Have there not been cases when the chosen representatives of the people have deliberately betrayed their constituents? Have there not even been cases where representatives and senators were illegally holding their seats, having been counted into office by corrupt representatives of the people in the capacity of election officers?

There are some things which the representatives of the people can perform with justice to all concerned. But in the case of such an important thing as our constitution, would it not be better for a majority of the people to have the power to commend or condemn those acts?

The people have the right to govern themselves. This is the principle on which our government is founded. But what assurance have we that the representatives of the people are honestly representing them when we find that a constitutional amendment can be carried in spite of the wishes of the majority, merely because the representatives system gives the power to the legislatures to override the wishes of their constituents?

The legislatures, as the Sacramento editor justly observes, are only temporarily in power. There is not a single member of any legislature who can feel certain that he will be elected at the next election. But the people are always there, and will always have the right, even if they do not have the power, to rule according to the will of the majority.

The legislature has a delegated power. But this power is not to be used in opposition to the will of the people. And it is sometimes seen that the legislators do not believe they are delegates of the people, but of the men who really put them in power.

With the control of the entire government machinery in the hands of the people, where it rightfully belongs, there would be less usurpation of power, and this is what the rulers do not want. They want the privileges under which they have worked for so many years to be continued and even extended. And the people are becoming aware of the danger to free institutions in the unlimited power of the people's representatives.

If it is right that the people should elect their senators, then it is also right that the people should decide what the constitution is to be.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barrocoito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.
10-31-2m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas-Mexican.

Train No. 1 leaves for Corpus Christi at 12:50 p. m.
Train No. 2 arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:35 p. m.

International & Great Northern.
Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 8:30 a. m. and arrives at 2:50 p. m.

Night Train.
Leaves at 9 p. m. and arrives at 8 a. m.

Rio Grande & Eagle Pass.

Train No. 1 leaves Laredo daily except Sunday at 8:30 a. m. Arrives at Minera at 10:20 a. m.
Train No. 2 leaves Minera daily except Sunday at 11 a. m. Arrives at Laredo at 3:15 p. m.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 10.

1805—Thomas C. Wales, who introduced rubber shoes into America, born at Stoughton, Mass. Died in Boston, Dec. 11, 1880.

1827—Gen. Alfred H. Terry, the Federal commander who captured Fort Fisher, born at Hartford, Conn. Died at New Haven, Conn., Dec. 16, 1890.

144—Sir John S. Thompson, famous Canadian statesman, born at Halifax. Died at Windsor, Eng., Dec. 12, 1894.

1888—An agreement was announced among the great Powers of Europe to exterminate the African slave trade.

1910—Anti-American demonstrations in Mexico on account of the lynching of a Mexican in Texas.

1911—Manchus massacred a large number of Chinese in Nanking, from which city 90,000 Chinese fled.

1914—Gen. Beyers' rebel force defeated by Union of South Africa troops.

1915—Russians broke German defenses near Kolki and took 2,000 prisoners.

1916—Panic and riots in Antwerp as result of deportation of Belgians to Germany.

1917—Lenine was made premier by the rebel government in Petrograd.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

South Africa has more than 32,000,000 sheep, producing over 170,000 pounds of wool annually.

The largest mile is the Norwegian, which contains twelve thousand one hundred and eighty-two yards.

Throughout Belgium generally the birth-rate declined during the war by 50 per cent, and the population is now about the same as in 1910.

The significance of an agate stone, worn as a brooch, is that it is supposed to quench thirst and to protect the wearer against lightning.

Billiards originally could not be called the "green-table sport," since the early billiard tables were covered with blue cloth and not green.

The Duke of Westminster is the largest individual owner of property in London. His 400 acres in Pinlicko yield a yearly rent of over \$15,000,000.

Hay is being sold for as much as \$80 a ton in the north of England. The average price before the war was \$20 a ton, but now even the poorer quality is easily sold at \$60.

Instances of extraordinary longevity are not always above suspicion, but Thomas Parr, who was buried in Westminster Abbey, seems to have lived for 152 years. That is the inscription on his tombstone.

The average number of microbes in the teaspoonful of milk kept under the most sanitary conditions is 6,000,000. Some of them are probably doing useful work, whilst others are decidedly pernicious.

CHECK THAT COLD RIGHT AWAY

Dr. King's New Discovery has relieved colds and coughs for fifty years

It was an unusually high quality cold, cough, gripe, and croup remedy when introduced half a century ago. Not once in all the years since then has the quality been allowed to deteriorate. Its effectiveness in combating colds and coughs has been proved thousands of times in thousands of families. Taken by grownups and given to the little ones for the safe, sure treatment of colds and gripe, croup and croup, it leaves absolutely no disagreeable after-effects. Get a bottle at your druggist's today. 60c. and \$1.20.

Bowels Act Human

—function gently but firmly without the violence of purgatives—when you treat them with Dr. King's New Life Pills. A smooth-acting laxative that gets right down to business and gratifying results. All druggists—25c. a bottle.

PARTNERSHIP PARTITION CASE IS STILL ON TRIAL

Case of Neblett vs. O'Meara, Suit for Partition of Funds of Partnership, is on Trial Before Jury.

The civil suit of Neblett vs. O'Meara, a suit growing out of partition of funds of the firm of O'Meara & Neblett following the dissolution of the partnership, was called in district court here on last Thursday morning before a jury and is still on trial there today.

The case is now drawing to a close and will go to the jury in a short time. The attorneys for Mr. Neblett are T. C. Mann and R. L. Bobbitt, and for Mr. O'Meara the attorney is John L. Dannelley.

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LOCAL NEWS

—The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo this morning: One carload of bananas, one carload of bone and three carloads of ixtle.

—The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertani Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

—You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Eustolio Gutierrez Martinez and Miss Maria Trinidad Esquivel, Tomas Pineda and Mrs. Guadalupe P. Mintel, Rafael Ramirez and Miss Nicolasa Herrera.

—We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. B. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-1f.

—I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

—The Belmont Rooms and apartments 602 Main Ave Phone 576 Jr 1017 6-20-1f.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans 4-24-1f.

—Tomorrow is "Armistice Day," a legal holiday throughout the country and the banks and all federal and state institutions will close for the day, as will also the public schools. There will be no celebration of the day held in Laredo, as plans that were in abeyance did not materialize.

—We paint automobiles; also make auto tops Fidel Cantu, Phone 202 6-18-1f.

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office, residence 812 Farragut street Residence phone 348 4-27-1f.

—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials 1-9-1f.

A Request.

Will all business houses or organizations who have gone 100 per cent in the Third Annual Red Cross Roll Call drive please notify headquarters by noon on the 11th so we may complete our Honor Roll?

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
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COMMISSIONERS' COURT ON BEGINNING THIS MORNING

Routine Business Taken Up at Session Today; Considerable Road Matters to Receive Consideration.

The regular November term of the commissioners court of Webb county was convened in session at the courthouse here this morning by County Judge Page and will remain in session for a week at least.

Besides the regular routine business before the court, which was taken up this morning, considerable road matters will be given attention, as the recent rains have raised havoc with many highways that at this time are badly in need of repairs.

TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY OF THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL

Every Person in Laredo Should Celebrate Armistice Day by Enrolling For the Coming Year.

Tomorrow is the last day of the Third Annual Red Cross Roll Call drive, and the committee is anxious to celebrate Armistice Day by going over the top. This is a call to every person in Laredo who has not rejoined to seek out the nearest booth and do so at once, and thereby help keep up the work that was so efficient carried on when our boys so badly needed it.

This Means Rou.

When you get up with a bad taste in your mouth, a dull tired feeling, no relish for food and are constipated, you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only cause an agreeable movement of the bowels, but cleanse and invigorate the stomach and improve the digestion.

INSPECTOR MORRIS DIDIU CAPTURED TRIO SMUGGLERS

Two Men Deported the Day Before and an Old-Time Offender Caught Saturday Night.

On last Friday morning two well-appearing contract laborers, Juan Romano and Salvador Arreola, en route from Guadalajara, Mexico, to Oakland, California, who had arrived here on Thursday, were deported back to Mexico for reasons ascertained by the local immigration authorities, and when they were deported it was with the admonition not to return to the United States, as their entry was prohibitive and would be a violation of the deportation laws.

But Señors Romano and Arreola had been California-bound and were determined to reach their destination at all hazards, so they hired Ezequiel Salazar, an old-time smuggler of Nuevo Laredo to bring them across in a skiff Saturday night under cover of darkness, landing them at a point on the Rio Grande banks six miles southeast of Laredo. Then the two men who had been deported only the day before and Salazar, who is a familiar character in the courts of Laredo for numerous offenses, principal of which is smuggling people across the Rio Grande, walked to the Heights and there took the street car, the two men, Romano and Arreola, intending to go to a local hotel for the night and then sneak out next morning on their way to California.

When the trio alighted from the street car in front of the city hall Saturday night about 11 o'clock, Immigration Inspector Morris Didiu espied them, and about the same time Salazar saw Didiu and started to "beat it," but Didiu brought him to a sudden halt. Then Didiu sent Salazar to the county jail and took Romano and Arreola to the immigration detention camp at the international footbridge, where they are being held for a hearing on a charge of violation of the immigration laws.

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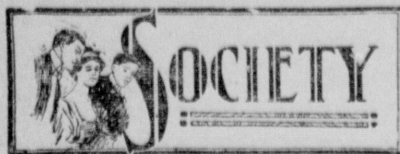
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COOL NORTHER WAS WELCOME FOLLOWING CLOSE SUNDAY

Cool Spell and Sunshine at This Time Will Do Much Good and Help Farmers to Proceed With Plowing.



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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Monday.
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
Monday Bridge Club will be entertained at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon by Mrs. J. S. Penn.

Tuesday.
The Tuesday Music and Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Nye at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church will meet at the Rectory at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Sunbeam Band will meet at the Baptist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Just the Things.
Just a golden sunrise, just a word of cheer,
Just a summer shower, just a rainbow clear;
Just a crimson sunset, just a purple hill,
Just a shaft of moonlight when the world is still,
Just a little fragrant breeze, just an azure sky;
Just the murmur of the sea, just a baby's cry;
Just a nodding flower, just a bird's sweet lay,
Just someone to greet us at the close of day,
Just a haunting melody—a half-forgotten song,
Just the glad warm sunshine through the whole day long;
Just the doing of our bit ever willingly,
Just the chance of helping—those across the sea,
Just a friendly handclasp, just a word of love,
Just the simple knowledge God is there above;
Just an act of kindness, just a sunny smile—
These are just the things that make our life worth while.
—Jane Arden in the People's Home Journal.

General Mention.
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reiser have returned from a pleasant visit to their old home in Illinois and after a short stay in the city went on to their home in Reiser, Texas.

Lawrence Earnest, who has been overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces, was expected home yesterday.

Mrs. P. J. MacMahon and Mrs. T. Lacey left Saturday for Cuero, Texas, to visit their sister, Mrs. J. A. Bentley.

Miss Eva Scratchley returned to San Ignacio yesterday afternoon after spending the week-end at home.

Rev. Chas. W. Cook spent Sunday in St. Louis and is expected home on Tuesday.

Announcements.
The Parish Guild of Christ Church will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gatewood Honored.

One of the attractive entertainments of Saturday was the card party given by Mrs. A. E. Younkin in the afternoon honoring Mrs. Charles Gatewood of Leavenworth, Kansas. The rooms were prettily decorated with white chrysanthemums and ferns. Six tables were arranged for the players, and a delicious luncheon was served before the games. In the games, in the series of games of bridge played, the high score prize went to Mrs. H. W. Johnston, who received a pair of silk hose. The low score fell to Mrs. J. S. Penn, who was given a dainty embroidered handkerchief. The honoree was presented with a pair of silken hose. A decidedly unique innovation of place cards with the following rhyme was the method chosen by Mrs. Younkin in placing her guests:

"In choosing your place,
Just look for the space
Where your hobby, vocation
Or virtue you trace."

Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality were the honor guest, Mrs. Charles Gatewood; Misses Kate Tarver, Alma Pierce, Marguerite Nelson, Maria Nowry and Josephine Sauvignat; Mesdames Norwood Wittling, Austin, Vidales, Biggio, Moore, Brennan, Johnston, Fish, Barlow, Binks, Christen, J. S. Penn, Lafon, Colbern, Foster, Mims, A. Martin, J. W. Brewster, Derby and Watson. Mrs. Younkin was assisted in entertaining her guests by her sister, Mrs. W. C. Greenstreet.

Monday Bridge Club.
The members of the Monday Bridge Club entertained with a beautifully appointed party at the home of

Mrs. J. C. Martin on Saturday evening, celebrating their first anniversary. The guests commented were the husbands of the members. The rooms were charming in their arrangement, quantities of red roses and ferns being used in the decorations. A delicious three-course supper was served before the games. In the series of games of bridge played the ladies' prize was won by Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat, who received a half dozen Madeira embroidered handkerchiefs. The men's prize, a box of silk ties, went to Mr. T. A. Leyendecker. The favors for the guests were red rosebuds. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moser, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lafon, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat, Mrs. C. C. Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin.

PERSONALS

J. J. Lawrence, formerly stationed in Laredo as agent of the department of justice, arrived here from his headquarters in San Antonio yesterday and will be here during the week attending federal court.

Meteorites of Great Age.

Meteorites of indicated great age, are not found in museum collections, and it is suggested that such specimens may disintegrate and disappear from the rocks within a relatively short time after falling.

The British Museum, however, has acquired a slice weighing somewhat less than a pound from a meteoric iron that is believed to represent an ancient fall, says the Newark News. The slice is from one of two similar masses that were found in January, 1905, within a few miles of Dawson, Klondike, and that, from their position in the oldest gravels of the district, are thought to have rested there since the Pliocene age.

Production.

"Didn't you say the swords would be beaten into plowshares?" "Yes," said Farmer Cornstossel, "but it seems like we can't get the hired help to keep up with the plowshares."

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:
Tonight and Tuesday fair.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:
Max. temp. 72 degs.
Min. temp. 65 degs.
General direction of wind: South.
Cloudy.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

A man is generally at his heaviest in his 40th year.
Nearly all shoes worn in Japan are made of straw or wood.

Sugar has been eaten in China for at least three thousand years.
The Chinese language has thirty thousand characters and there are six different styles of writing it.

The "clocks" on stockings, now merely ornamental, were originally the cover for awkward-looking seams. Platinum was so named by the Spaniards on account of its silvery color, "plata," signifying silver. It was discovered in the sand of the River Pinto, in South America, and was unknown in Europe until 1741.

One of the largest copper mining corporations in America has taken

BRITISH FLYERS END A LONG TRIP



Admiral Mark Keer (left) and his pilot, Major Brackley of the British air service, who recently landed at Mineola in their giant Handley-Page plane after a trip from Nova Scotia that was delayed by many accidents.

out an industrial insurance policy covering the lives of all of its many thousands of employees. The face value of the policy exceeds \$10,000,000.
The Indians on the banks of the Orinoco River assert that an alligator, previous to going in search of prey, always swallows a large stone, so that it may acquire additional weight to aid it in dragging captured animals under water.

A wonderful substitute for coal, made of a compound of straw, has been discovered by a Spanish engineer. The composition is said to develop sufficient steam for a locomotive in thirty minutes, and the ashes it leaves has been found to make an excellent fertilizer.

Despite the present high prices, King George's tailor bills are probably half of what King Edward's used to be in a year. The late King rarely wore the same suit of clothes more than half a dozen times and often only once or twice, whilst King George usually wears a suit many times before it is removed from the royal wardrobe.

Railway ties used in southern Russia are salted for preservation. The discovery of the efficacy of salt for the purpose was made accidentally some thirty years ago. The telegraph poles of Sebastopol soon rotted below the ground, and one of the workmen tried the experiment of putting a quantity of salt into the hole prepared for the reception of the base of the pole. The wood lasted five times as long as usual, and the experiment was repeated and extended to railway ties.

Ball games were first played by the ancient Greeks and Romans, and considered merely of throwing and catching the ball. This was found to be an excellent method of strengthening the figure and keeping the body healthy.

HAND STIRRUPS.

"See any fancy ridin' while you was East?" asked Three-Finger Sam. "I sure did," answered Cactus Joe. "But everything's topsyturvy. People in the cars have to hang on with their wrists in straps."

"Jes' think of that. Usin' the stirrups for their hands instead of their feet!"—Washington Star.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 10.
Winston Churchill, author of numerous popular novels, born at St. Louis, 48 years ago today.
Dr. Henry Van Dyke, poet, philosopher and late U. S. Minister to the Netherlands, born at Germantown, Pa., 67 years ago today.
Dr. Edmund C. Sanford, president of Clark College, born at Oakland, Cal., 69 years ago today.
Chester H. Aldrich, former governor of Nebraska, born at Pierpont, O., 57 years ago today.
Donald B. McMillan, who has attained fame as an Arctic explorer, born at Provincetown, Mass., 45 years ago today.

ODD AND INTERESTING.

Orphan asylums are unknown in Australia. Every destitute orphan child is sent to a private family, which takes care of it until it is fourteen years of age, and is remunerated by the government.

At the sides of the famous pitch lake of Trinidad the pitch is hard and cold, but at the centre it is almost constantly boiling. All efforts to ascertain the depth of the lake have been unsuccessful.

A large number of Japanese obtain a livelihood by catching fireflies. These insects are used as ornaments at social festivities. Sometimes they are kept caged, sometimes released in swarms in the presence of the guests.

In the sixteenth century there was a curious law in England whereby street peddlers were forbidden to sell plums and apples, for the reason that servants and apprentices were unable to resist the sight of them, and were constantly tempted to steal their employers' money in order to enjoy the costly delicacies.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 10.

The time-honored Lord Mayor's show will take place in London today, and the new Lord Mayor, Sir Edward Ernest Cooper, will be formally installed in office. No more violent contrast is to be found the world over than that existing between the various duties of the Lord Mayor of London. Theoretically, at least, the King of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India cannot enter the city of London without his consent, yet he spends the best part of his morning dispensing Solomon-like justice upon petty offenders who have broken the peace of the square mile of territory over which he rules. Outside of this, his duties are largely ornamental, consisting of attendance on meetings, dinners, receptions and other functions of a public or semi-public nature. He receives \$50,000 a year, but is expected to spend several times this amount in the way of entertainment and otherwise keeping up the dignity of his office.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 50c. per month.

FEDERATION OF LABOR ENDORSES STRIKE AND OPPOSES ACTION OF THE GOVERNMENT

Executive Council Characterizes Action of Government in Upholding Injunction as an Act So Autocratic as to Stagger the Human Mind—Believed Miners will Refuse to Stop Strike.

WILL GIVE COTTON PRICES IN MARKETS

PRICES BE RECEIVED AT CENTRAL POINTS AND WIRED AT THE RECEIVER'S EXPENSE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Arrangements are being completed by the department of agriculture by which cotton planters and others will be able to obtain actual cotton prices in different grades in the primary markets, especially in the lower grades not deliverable on future contracts. The prices will be issued at Memphis, Atlanta, New Orleans, Dallas and Charlotte and telephoned or telegraphed at the expense of the receiver or mailed free.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots large inquiry; prices firm. Sales 10,000. Receipts 26,000; American 6,200. Good middling 27.10 (English pence). Middling 25.60. Quiet. Nov. 25.35-15; Dec. 24.95-80; Jan. 24.20-30; March 23.23-11; May 22.46-48.
Close—Irrregular. Nov. 24.67; Dec. 24.43; Jan. 23.90; March 22.88; May 22.22.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 38.10-18; Jan. 37.30-20; March 36.20-18; May 35.55-59.
Close—Barely steady. Dec. v. 80-85; Jan. 36.50-98; March 35.88-82; May 35.12-18.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 38.40-50; Jan. 37.50-60; March 36.50-56; May 36.80-75.
Close—Steady. Dec. 38.30-4; Jan. 37.25-31; March 36.03-11; May 35.17-22.

Houston.
Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 424. To arrive 3,666.
Galveston.
Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 10. F. O. B. 4,261.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

The Supreme Court of the United States will reconvene today after a two weeks' recess.

Sir Edward Ernest Cooper today will be formally installed as Lord Mayor of London, with all of the pageantry and ceremony which the custom of centuries has prescribed for the occasion.

The American Legion, the great national organization of men and women who saw service under the Stars and Stripes in the world war, is to be given permanent form at a convention to be opened in Minneapolis today.

The first congress of the reconstituted International Transport Workers' Federation, one of the foremost among international labor organizations, is to assemble today at Christiania, Norway.

The Northwest Live Stock Show, one of the leading annual exhibitions of pedigreed cattle in the Western States, will get under way today at Lewiston, Idaho, and continue through the week.

New York State Federation of Women's Clubs will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of its organization at a four-day convention which will begin its sessions today at Elmira.

Thousands of hotel men from all parts of the North American continent are expected to assemble in New York for the fourth annual convention and exposition of the National Hotel Men's Association.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The American Federation of Labor stood today before the country as an unqualified endorser of the strike of the soft coal miners and as bitterly opposed to the action of the government in attempting to end the strike through injunction proceedings, which action it characterized as "so autocratic as to stagger the human mind." The endorsement of the strike was announced last night in a statement issued by the executive council of the federation, which pledged the strikers the full support of organized labor and appealed to the citizenship of the country to give like "endorsement and aid to the men engaged in this momentous struggle."

No Hint As to Action.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 10.—No hint as to the action of the international officers of the United Mine Workers today was forthcoming, despite the action of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. The federation statement is believed in many quarters to presage a fight on the part of the miners, assisted by labor in general, against the mandatory injunction of Federal Judge Anderson.

Will Not Call Off Strike.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Labor leaders predicted that the international officers of the United Mine Workers, meeting in Indianapolis, would not call off the coal strike, whatever the legal consequences might be. One spokesman of the miners' organization said he doubted if acting President Lewis and his associates had the power, even if they were inclined to comply with the demand. "The strike was ordered by the delegates in convention in the event the operators refused to grant our demands," the spokesman said, "and Lewis merely carried out their instructions in ordering the strike. The convention must call it off."

MRS. CARRANZA DEAD.

Word was received by Mayor Juan Barrera of Nuevo Laredo today that Mrs. Carranza, wife of the president, died this morning at Queretaro, as a consequence all public buildings were closed and emblems of mourning were prominently displayed.

WON'T MAKE PEACE WITH BOLSHIEVI

LONDON PAPERS SCOUT IDEA OF SHAKING HANDS WITH MURDERERS AS THEY CALL IT

By Associated Press.

London, Nov. 10.—Lloyd George's hint in his Guildhall speech Saturday night for an attempt to negotiate peace with Bolshevik Russia created a stir. The anti-Bolshevik press is indignant over the suggestion. The Daily Mail scouts the idea "as shaking hands with a murderer," and generally denounces the suggestion, which it says has caused great amazement in political circles.

Entertainment Is Limited.

London, Nov. 10.—Householders in the United Kingdom are barred from entertaining mother-in-law or other guests longer than four weeks, by order of the ministry of food, as part of the conservation program.

Await Action of Commons.

London, Nov. 10.—Great Britain has no intention of opening peace negotiations with Lenin until the house discusses the subject, said Andrew Bonar Law today.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 10.
The former German Emperor and his suite fled to Holland.
Revolt of soldiers and workmen spread rapidly throughout Germany.
The Allied armies advanced rapidly along the entire western front.
King Victor Emmanuel made a triumphal entry into the city of Trieste.

NUMEROUS CLASHES WITH THE STRIKERS

ESTIMATED AT YOUNGSTOWN THAT TWO THOUSAND STRIKERS BEGAN WORK TODAY.

By Associated Press.

Youngstown, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Numerous clashes between pickets and deserters from the strikers' ranks marked the opening of the eighth week of the steel strike here. Observers estimated that 2,000 additional workers returned to the steel plants today.

DECREASE DRY LEAD.

By Associated Press.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 10.—The fate of the federal prohibition amendment was made more uncertain today, additional returns in 86 of 88 counties giving the dries a lead of only 45.

BLIZZARD RAGING TODAY.

By Associated Press.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 10.—Western Minnesota and eastern North Dakota are in the blizzard belt today. Snow driven by a 25-mile wind prevailed throughout the night and continued to fall today.

AGED PIONEER DEAD.

By Associated Press.

Port Worth, Nov. 10.—B. C. Rhoma, a pioneer of Texas 76 years old, among the first to replace Texas longhorns with rich breeds, died here today.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETS.

By Associated Press.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 10.—To give the American Legion permanent shape and declare its policies as a force in the social and governmental life of the nation, 2,000 delegates representing all sections and classes of service men and women started the first convention today.

WITHOUT STREET CARS.

By Associated Press.

Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Toledo entered the second day without street cars, which were all removed outside the city early Sunday by the company as the result of the ordinance passed by vote of the people Tuesday ousting the Toledo Railways and Light Company from the streets.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

An increase of several hundred in the enrollment of women students at Iowa State College has left the State Board of Education to provide \$90,000 for the construction of a new woman's dormitory.

Mrs. Inez Haynes Irwin, wife of Will Irwin, the author and war correspondent, and herself the author of a number of books, has undertaken the task of writing the first history of the National Woman's Party.

In Korea, the women are taught to shun the opposite sex from their earliest girlhood. Their seclusion is carried to the utmost limit. Out of doors the women usually wear a green mantle which covers the whole countenance except the eyes. For do they willingly let even their eyes be seen.

In China, a girl who is partaking of the last meal she will eat in her father's house, previous to her marriage, sits at the table with her parents and brothers; but she must eat no more than half the bowl of rice set before her, else her departure will be followed by a continual scarcity in the domicile she is leaving.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received at our office on the Casino Building, Monterey, Mexico, until 11 a. m. December 10, 1919. Plans and specifications can be seen at our office in San Antonio, Texas, or at the office of the Casino, Monterey, Mexico.

ALFRED GILES CO., Architects, San Antonio, Texas.

Approved: LIC. MANUEL GONZALEZ GARCIA, Sec'y of Casino, Monterey, Mexico.

DIXIE AND THE ORIENT IN WASHINGTON



Photograph of Patricia Koo, daughter of Wellington Koo, Chinese ambassador to the United States, at Washington, and her "mummy," Martha Robertson. Deprived of her own mother by the influenza epidemic last year, Patricia finds a loving guardian in this daughter of Dixie.

A NOVEL ATTITUDE.

At length we have a characterization of our government which is interesting, as it comes from a set of men who have all along insisted that they were loyal and patriotic, in the face of charges that they were skating dangerously near thin ice on several occasions.

The executive council of the American Federation of Labor, an organization which numbers among its affiliated unions only four millions out of the entire population, declares that the government's action in attempting to end the strike of the coal miners through injunction proceedings is an act "so autocratic as to stagger the human mind!"

That is, this comparatively small percentage declares that the government is "autocratic" in fighting for the good of the whole as against a half million miners!

In the first place, it should be remembered that in this strike affair the government has not taken the side of either employers or employees. It has held aloof from the controversy, merely offering its services in the way of mediation as to wage differences and controversies as to hours and conditions of work.

The injunction was not asked for in behalf of the operators. It is for the people who are bound to suffer severely if the strike is carried on that the government is fighting and will continue to fight.

The question now is plainly: "Which is the strongest and most powerful—the government or the unions?" And unless this is soon settled we are in danger of being submitted to the will of as cruel and unthinking an autocracy as that of Lenin and Trotsky.

The autocracy in this affair is not the government; it is the combination of union leaders who dare to threaten the United States government because it has dared to oppose the will of a few workmen.

When the Bolsheviks strove for power against the revolution of Kerensky, it was declared to be a beneficent organization which was working for the rights of the people, but as soon as the soviet government came into power it showed its true inwardness.

We are now asked to support the cause of the union against the government—our government—for which four million men were lately in arms. Thousands of our young men died that the people of the world might be forever free from the power of the tyrant. And the unions ask us to substitute a worse tyranny than that of king or emperor—the tyranny of the union leaders who are unwilling to keep faith with either the government or the people.

The people of America have no quarrel with either the United Mine Workers or the American Federation of Labor. But it need not be said that the majority of our people are for the government, now and for all time. When it comes to a question of the fall of the government or the failure of the labor movement, it is easy to prophesy which will win.

Just what form this open defiance of the government will take is difficult to surmise. The astute labor leaders have heretofore known just how far they could go, but it looks now as if their ambition to rule was getting the better of their judgment, and in case of open rebellion the people will naturally favor their government against any anarchistic organization which may be opposed to it, no matter what it may be called.

The strike of the coal miners, serious as that threatened to be, is now secondary to the question of the attitude of organized labor, and as it is unthinkable that the government should yield on a matter of principle, it becomes a question of submission on the part of the unions or war to the death for the principle of freedom and of free government.

A government dominated by the labor unions would be less preferable than a government by an absolute monarchy. For the people would always have the power to rid themselves of a tyrant, but they would be dominated by many tyrants in the form of labor leaders.

America free or ruled by men who in some cases are not even American citizens. Take your choice.

OUR OWN REDS.

While the federal secret service agents were rounding up the Russian Reds, some of our own were holding meetings in various parts of the country, notably in Chicago, where it is reported that "officials of the department of justice and city authorities seated in the hall took no action."

The Chicago meeting was addressed by "Big Bill" Haywood, convicted some time ago during the trial of I. W. W. officials accused of violation of our laws, and who ought right now to be behind the bars for his treasonable utterances and his defiance of the law.

Haywood defied the federal officials to come on the platform and arrest the leaders of the Communist party, sneered at Judge Anderson and attacked Samuel Compers, whom he called "a croaking little frog."

It is apparent that the search for Reds is not complete until the attention of our federal officers is directed to the home grown variety. It is

true that we have comparatively few of these, but the blatant big-mouthed "Wobly" who was accused of complicity in the murder of Governor Steiensenberg is one of the most rampant.

It is interesting to read what the Reds propose to do to the rest of us, substantiated by their own "literature" which was captured in the recent raids. Their program reads:

1. All factories, farms, railroads and stores of food and farm implements, machinery, etc., to be seized.

2. Prisons to be opened and destroyed, all fences, walls and other boundary marks demolished, court-houses and all legal papers burned, police stations razed.

3. All debts to be cancelled and private ownership of property to be declared at an end.

4. Police chiefs, heads of the secret service and big detective agencies and all high military officers to be executed.

5. Churches to be closed or used as barracks for the rebel forces.

6. A new government of "village communes" to be set up after all vestiges of the existing government are obliterated.

To this ought to be added the prize proposition which was adopted by the Lenin-Trotsky soviet government—the nationalization of women—and the program would be one that no sane being could for a moment consider.

It is into the hands of such beasts that Haywood and his ilk are disposed to throw us. Their one idea is to rise to power on the ruins of the republic they hate, and which they hate more than other governments for the reason that it is a better government than the others.

Destruction of all public records, abolition of all private property rights and community of property is the basis of all anarchy. And this is the reason why anarchy will never be triumphant. The man who has worked to earn something of his own does not propose to give it up to someone who merely demands a share of it as his right.

By demanding community of women the Reds show their attitude towards women—that they are "property" of the victorious males. And strange to say, there are women so degraded and debased, so beastly and brutish, that they are willing to accept this soviet dogma and become property.

There is not an American living who will not oppose the campaign of the Reds. For if he does not oppose it, he is not an American. He belongs in the category of the nameless things out of which are made anarchists and I. W. W.

Any man in the world, be he ever so pacific, will fight for the protection of his womankind, his children and his home. If he will not, he is not worthy the name of man.

The Reds are fighting for nothing but the privilege of robbery and murder and rape. They deserve no mercy at the hands of civilized men, for they are lower than the beasts, who slay only to satisfy hunger.

NASHVILLE WOMAN
MAKES STATEMENT

MRS. BINKLEY GAINED 22 POUNDS
TAKING TANLAC—18 YEARS
OF SUFFERING ENDED.

"I gained twenty-two pounds by taking Tanlac and am a well woman today," said Mrs. J. W. Binkley, of 2194 Illinois Ave., West Nashville, Tennessee.

"I suffered terribly the past eighteen years," she continued, "and my stomach was in such an awful condition that I had to live on the lightest kind of diet. Even milk would disagree with me and form gas that would keep me in misery for hours. I had little strength left, and although I tried the best of medicines and treatments I just kept going down hill and suffering agonies till at last I was told my only hope lay in an operation."

"A friend of my husband's persuaded him to get me some Tanlac, and it has not only saved me from an operation but I have gained in every way. I can eat anything I want without suffering afterwards and am feeling just fine. I shall always praise Tanlac for restoring my health and wish everybody knew about this wonderful medicine."

All druggists sell Tanlac.

DELIVERED ANNUAL ADDRESS
TO SCOTTISH RITE BODIES

Rev. A. F. Beddoe Attended the Meeting of the San Antonio Consistory and Gave the Address.

Rev. A. F. Beddoe of Laredo made the annual address yesterday to the San Antonio Consistory of the Scottish Rite bodies of Masonry, as he has done ever since taking the degrees in that order. Mr. Beddoe states that there were 1,200 members present. The meeting will continue for four days longer, and tomorrow he will return to San Antonio for the final conferring of degrees, for which there are 1,000 candidates this year, making this the greatest and most important meeting of the consistory in its history.

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ROLLING your own cigarettes with Prince Albert is just about as joy'us a sideline as you ever carried around in your grip! For, take it at any angle, you never got such quality, flavor, fragrance and coolness in a makin's cigarette in your life as every "P. A. home-made" will present you!

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AIRPLANES AT MANUEVERS
OVER CITY THIS MORNING

That Was the Only Attraction on "Armistice Day," and Many Observed Maneuvers of Machines.

While there was no celebration of "Armistice Day" in Laredo today by the military or civilians, nevertheless the aeroplanes stationed at the aviation camp here attracted much attention this forenoon as they flew over the city in battle formation and performed the different maneuvers that American airplanes were performing "over there" a year ago.

While it is regretted that Laredo did not stage an appropriate celebration of "Armistice Day" with all the Laredo boys and other soldiers parading, nevertheless it is a day that will be observed in the years to come, and then "our boys" will have an opportunity of observing the day as it should be observed—by again donning the uniforms that they brought back with them and parading the thoroughfares of their "own home town" in the same manner that they paraded on the battlefields "over there" in 1917-18.

COLD WEATHER FAVORABLE FOR CROPS THIS SECTION

Long Wet Spell, Followed By Sunshine and Cold, Will Cause Most Favorable Season Coming Spring.

Laredo has been experienced a touch of wintry weather during the past twenty-four hours, and while there have been no icicles and other disastrous evidences of real cold weather here, it has been just cool enough to dry out the excessive moisture resultant from the recent heavy rains, and if this kind of clear, cool weather continues for several days it will mean great activity on the part of the farming element in this section, as they will be getting their land in condition for receiving onions which will be transplanted during the coming month of December, when about 3,500 acres will be set out in Bermuda onions in this county.

With nearly sixty inches of rain during the past year or less the condition of the soil in these parts is in better shape at this time than ever before, and while the surface needs drying to admit of plowing and fertilizing, there will be sufficient moisture in the ground to last for some time, and with rain certain again before the end of the year, there could be no brighter prospects for all kinds of crops the coming season than at present prevail, and unless pests of various kinds and a severe winter raise havoc with onions and other crops, the indications are that next spring will witness one of the most bounteous yields and profitable seasons experienced here in years.

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There Are Other Laredo People Similarly Situated.

E. T. Lesterjette, 1818 Sta. Maria Ave., Laredo, says: "Several years ago I was annoyed by the irregular action of my kidneys, and my back ached. When I stooped over, I could hardly raise up again, and I had dizzy spells and black specks before my eyes. My kidneys didn't act right and I had to get up often at night to pass the secretions, which were highly colored and burned. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills through a friend and decided to try them. Doan's relieved me from the start, and after taking two boxes, my back was strong and my kidneys acted as regularly as ever."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lesterjette had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Attention Elks!

There will be a regular meeting of the Elks at their hall this evening beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

A. B. MULLER, Secretary.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barrocoito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS, 10-31-2m.

Constitution.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.



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TWO TWENTY-ROUND BOUTS
IN NUEVO LAREDO ON SUNDAY

MOODY-GARCIA AND PONCHO-BROWN MILLS WILL TAKE PLACE

Arrangements Completed Today Between Guy Turpin and Nuevo Laredo Officials for Big Fights.

Arrangements have been finally perfected between Guy Turpin, fight promoter of San Antonio, and the municipal and bullfight arena management of Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, whereby a big fight card will be staged in the Nuevo Laredo bullfight arena on Sunday, November 16, when there will be two six-round preliminaries between Laredo boxing artists and two big twenty-round bouts, one between Willie Moody, lightweight of Springfield, Mo., and Jose Garcia, known as "El Gato," a well known Cuban lightweight, and the other fight will be between "Kid" Poncho, of San Antonio, flyweight



JOSE GARCIA, "El Gato,"
Cuban Lightweight.

champion of Texas, and "Knockout" Brown of Houston, who will try to wrest the laurels from Poncho during the twenty-round bout.

The four bouts will take place in the bullfight arena in Nuevo Laredo starting promptly at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Several weeks ago arrangements were pending between Guy Turpin and the Nuevo Laredo officials for several big bouts, but owing to some misunderstanding about matters pertaining to the fight card arrangements were not completed.

Turpin is now in Laredo accompanied by "Kid" Poncho and the necessary papers have been signed and everything is in readiness for what promises to be one of the best mills ever staged on this portion of the Mexican border. A large number of fight fans from San Antonio are expected to reach here on Sunday morning's train to be on hand to witness the fights on Sunday afternoon.

A contract has been closed with a motion picture concern to get movies of the two feature twenty-round bouts between Moody and Garcia, the lightweights, and Poncho and Brown, the flyweights.

Notice to Patrons.

On account of moving the dairy to the ranch, I will be compelled to miss my delivery tomorrow morning, but will deliver milk in the afternoon.

BECKER JERSEY DAIRY,
C. A. Smith, Prop.

Churches Moving Forward.

Laredo churches are keeping pace with city development. The Methodist church has made its Pastor's salary \$2,100 for the coming year, and their part of the Presiding Elders \$270, thus making their minister's salaries \$2,370. Three hundred of this is paid by the Home Mission Board and two thousand and seventy by the local church. This is taking the proper step for a church in a city like Laredo. A man who can achieve success in any of our Laredo churches as pastor could make good in any walk of life. The city is developing, and the churches should stand in the forefront and do their part in every good word and work. To do this they must have men in the lead, men who can do things, and men who are paid living salary. We are glad to note this new forward step, and hope every church in the city will fall in line. Our ministers are all good men and deserve more, much more than they will ever get in the ministry.

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon. One carload of silver, one carload of baskets, one carload of ixite, one carload of dried peas and one carload of bones.

This is "Armistice Day," the first anniversary of the cessation of hostilities "over there," and Laredo is observing the day in true style—a genuine armistice in business lines, with banks and all federal branches, except federal court, observing the day, while the schools have also taken a holiday.

There will be a big fight fest staged in Nuevo Laredo's bullring on next Sunday afternoon, when there will be two preliminary bouts of six rounds each and two twenty-round bouts between Moody and Garcia, lightweights, and Poncho and Brown, two wee flyweights.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: William Nedicio and Miss Severina Juarez, Rodolfo V. Garcia and Miss Concepcion Escalante, David O. Gallagher and Miss Aurora de la Garza.

District court was still occupied with the trial of the civil suit of Neblett vs. O'Meara this morning, the case having been on trial in that tribunal since last Thursday morning.

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF
TEMPORARY GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Webb, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Appointment of Temporary Guardian.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Joseph Steffian Lowry and Daniel Boone Lowry, minors: W. E. Lowry was, by the County Court of Webb County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the Estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday of November, A. D. 1919, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. A. Rodriguez, Clerk of the County Court of Webb County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Laredo, Texas, this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1919.

Attest: J. A. RODRIGUEZ,
Clerk Co. Court, Webb Co., Texas.

Came to hand this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1919, at 5:30 P. M. and ordered published in the Laredo Daily Times.

ANTONIO Salinas,
Sheriff, Webb County, Texas.
By F. H. LIGARDE, Deputy.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 11.

Edmund T. Perkins of Chicago, who will preside over the annual convention of the National Drainage Congress which is to meet at St. Louis today, is a celebrated engineer who has made a specialty of land irrigation and reclamation. A native of Virginia and a graduate of Union College, Mr. Perkins began his professional career as a topographer for the United States Geological Survey in 1885. For a quarter of a century he remained in the Government service, during the latter part of this period being employed as an engineer in the U. S. Reclamation Service. One of his most notable achievements was the laying out of a 300-mile system of wagon roads in the mountainous and unexplored regions of Idaho. He has been prominent in the affairs of the American Reclamation Federation and the Florida Everglades Engineering Commission, as well as the National Drainage Congress.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo this morning: Two carloads of baskets and one carload of cotton seed cake.

The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertani Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

11-3-1m.

The play at the Royal last night, with Louis Bennisson in "A Mistake" was a rich comedy-drama, telling how a cowboy suddenly was called to rule a castle in England as heir of his grandfather, and what took place after the "knight of the plains" got among the aristocrats was laughter provoking until the end, when he decided to go back on a ranch in Wyoming among real folks.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent. 10-14-1m.

The commissioners' court, which convened in regular session here on Monday morning, is still busy transacting routine business and also giving some attention to road matters.

We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-1f.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Guadalupe Flores and Miss Ambrosia Rodriguez, Juan Cortez and Miss Manuela Rubio.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Piorres, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

A committee appointed by the Laredo Lodge of Elks is now at work arranging a program for the observance of their annual memorial day, which will be held with appropriate services at their hall on Sunday afternoon, December 7.

The Belmont Rooms and apartments. 602 Main Ave. Phone 676 or 1017. 6-20-1f.

District court is still in session in Laredo, but there was nothing doing in that tribunal this morning. Some cases set for later in the week will be taken up at the time at which they are set.

We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202. 6-15-1f.

Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office; residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 248. 4-27-1f.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women and men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep them fit. 10c and 25c.

NUEVO LAREDO'S FIGHT CARD INTERESTING LOCAL SPORTS

Two Big Twenty-Round Bouts Across the Boundary Line Next Sunday Afternoon Will Attract Crowds.

Much interest is manifested in Laredo in the fight card to be staged in the bullring arena in Nuevo Laredo on next Sunday afternoon under the direction of Guy Turpin, the San Antonio, promoter, who yesterday closed negotiations with the Nuevo Laredo officials and bullring management for the pulling off of two 20-round boxing matches, one between Willie Moody, a Missouri lightweight, and Jose Garcia, the Cuban battler, and the other between "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, and "Kid" Brown of Houston.

Both fights promise to be full of ginger from the start to the finish and will go the full twenty rounds each unless a knockout comes before that time. Preceding the big mills there will be two six-round preliminaries between boxers to be selected by the Knights of Columbus War Activities in this city, and they say that some real gingery work will result in the prelims also.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Violet S. Oberfeldt
Society Editor

Phone 70 Phone 43

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.
Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain at bridge at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of the latter.
The Parish Guild will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Thursday.
Circle C. W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Irwin on Salinas avenue at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
Circle D. W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. Sallee in the afternoon.
The Thursday Bridge Club will be entertained by Miss Eva Levi in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Shadow Liner.
The Shadow Liner leaves her dock for Slumberland at eight—Come in, come in, my little child, and close the door and gate.
The sweetest ship of all the fleet, and there is room for you.
Right on the upper deck beneath the stary vault of blue.
The Shadow Liner waves and rocks, but such a gentle way
You never know you've left the wharf until you're down the bay;
And there the drowsy breezes blow and all the air's so fine,
Your little eyes are closed, your arms are round this neck of mine.

Oh, Shadow Liner bear her safe upon the seas of rest
Where never any storms shall break above her dreamful breast,
And where the morning light shall come to touch her little cheeks
And kiss the roses of her lips where love eternal speaks!
—B. B. in Baltimore Sun.

General Mention.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Watson, who have occupied the Millar cottage during the summer, are moving to their new home in South Laredo this week.

Mrs. Embrey of Dallas is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Sallee.

Mr. Rieser and daughter, Emma, left last night for New York, where they will make their home. Mr. Rieser has a host of friends in Laredo who regret to see him leave. He was in charge of the work of the Jewish Welfare Board on the border.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartell of Galveston, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Kate Winston, have returned home.

Mrs. Roderick Dew is in San Antonio visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred H. Baird. She will arrive in Laredo in the near future to be the guest of friends.

Mr. Eugene Mains of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit to Mrs. Howard Mains. He reports his brother Howard as improving very much recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Rourke and two children of Temple, Texas, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. O'Rourke's mother, Mrs. L. C. Everett.

Rev. Chas. W. Cook returned yesterday from an extended trip to the North and East.

Announcements.
Mrs. H. L. Guinn will entertain with a party this afternoon complementing a number of young friends in honor of her little daughter Margaret.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Dannelley at 1111 Grant street on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Junior Auxiliary.
The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church met yesterday afternoon at the Rectory with Mrs. C. W. Cook. The usual service at the church was held, during which time Rev. C. W. Cook gave them a most interesting talk on the convention at Detroit and spoke of the bishops they had studied about, also about the exhibition of the Junior Auxiliary. The building used for this exhibition occupies a block of ground. The members are studying China and next week Mr. Cook will address them on that subject. Those present were: Mary Anderson, Kathleen Aldridge, Elizabeth and Charline Nye, James Ward, Anita and Ethel Lane, Edna Tarver, Evelyn Randolph, Buster Randolph, Marjorie Fish, Mary and Ralph Cook, Mitchell and Maurice Shahady and Leonora Piton. After seeing the Junior Auxiliary exhibit in Detroit, Mr. Cook has a number of ideas that can be worked out by the Juniors in Laredo.

Mrs. G. C. Hiatt Honored.
Mrs. G. C. Hiatt and little daughter, who have been visiting relatives in Indiana for the past two months, will return in the morning. While away Mrs. Hiatt was the honoree of a number of delightful hospitalities. The following clipping, taken from the Winchester Indiana, Democrat, will be of interest to friends:

One of the very delightful October affairs was the lovely party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. J. E. Hinshaw and Mrs. Grace Griffin at the Hinshaw home in South Meridian street, honoring their sister-in-law, Mrs. G. C. Hiatt of Texas, who has been spending a month visiting relatives in this city. The gracious hospitality of the two hostesses, the charming personality of the honor guest, and the congenial social harmony of the large number of invited guests made it an occasion long to be remembered. Miss Ruth Hinshaw, who has developed a remarkable talent for the piano, contributed several selections, to the delight of all. Mrs. Hinshaw and Mrs. Griffin, assisted by Miss Ruth Hinshaw and Miss Marjorie Hiatt, served a delicious luncheon. Those who attended the party from out of the city were Mrs. Charles Snell, Mrs. Will Yergen, Mrs. Frank Brannan, Mrs. Nettie White, Misses Clara and Nettie Richter, of Union City; Mrs. Addie Webb and daughter and Mrs. W. E. Hiatt and two daughters of Richmond, and Mrs. J. Searle of Indianapolis.

Armistice Day Entertainment.
The first entertainment at Fort McIntosh under the auspices of the Army took place last night at Fort McIntosh Auditorium (formerly the Y. M. C. A. building). A well mixed program was arranged with singing and a grand wind-up with boxing and wrestling in which Pocho, the well-known featherweight champion boxer from San Antonio, performed and gave one of the best exhibitions of the many art that was ever shown in Laredo or Fort McIntosh.

The first to appear on the program was Mrs. Anderson, who favored the audience with a beautiful solo, followed by Mrs. Hamilton, also with a delightful solo, and next Mrs. Culman, whose voice has been heard many times before by the people of Laredo and the soldiers of Fort McIntosh, and who also sang a beautiful solo. The musical entertainment wound up with the famous ukulele trio, consisting of Misses Ryan, Taylor and Wiggins, who were encored three times by the audience.

Next on the program came the boxers, the first bout between Knock-out Hanson of the M. T. C. vs. Battling Taylor of Co. B, 37th Inf., followed by a clean wrestling match between Priys, Wright vs. Patchett, both from the Aviation Field on the Heights. The final exhibition of boxing between Kid Poncho vs. Rogers, Co. D, 37th Inf., who out-weighted the little boxer by nineteen pounds, besides being a clever exhibition of boxing proved an excellent workout for Poncho prior to his hard bout in Nuevo Laredo next Sunday, when he meets Knockout Brown of New York in a twenty-round go.

The program was cleverly arranged within the short period of 24 hours and those responsible for its success are the following: Mrs. Cuff, newly appointed hostess at Fort McIntosh, and Mr. Padden, formerly with the K. of C., now with the government service.

—Contributed.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Strong, who commanded the 40th Division in the late war, will be retired from the United States Army today for age.

Many prominent educators are to gather in Washington today to attend the inauguration of Dr. J. Stanley Durkes as president of Howard University.

Important problems are scheduled to come before the National Industrial Traffic League at its annual meeting to open in Chicago today.

The annual meeting of the American Society for Municipal Improvements will open at New Orleans today and continue in session until Friday.

A call has been issued for a conference to meet in Chicago today for the purpose of forming a national federation of State farmers' organizations.

The first direct steamship service between Great Britain and Hayti since 1899 is to be inaugurated today with the departure of the steamship Conway from London for Haytian ports.

The old house in Prince Street, New York City, where President James Monroe spent his last day and where his death occurred in 1815, is to be offered for sale at public auction today.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight fair; colder; cold wave; temperature 24 to 32. Thursday fair.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 79 degs.

Min. temp. 47 degs.

General direction of wind: Northeast.

Clear.

CLASSIFIED ADS

1 cent per word for Rent, Found, For Sale, Lost or Exchange

For Sale or Rent:—Rooms, apartments, bungalows, hotels, lots, blocks J. Maxcy Pace, 920 Salinas Ave. Phone 676 4-4-1f.

LOANS on ranch lands, ten thousand dollars up, interest seven to eight per cent. A. C. Hamilton. 7-12-1f.

For Rent:—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 1301 Iturbide street (upstairs.) 10-14-1f.

For Sale:—New Royal piano in good condition. Inquire 19 Iturbide street. 11-4-10f.

Wanted:—I am in the market for tracts of land from one to five thousand acres in Starr and Zapata counties. Titles must be clear. Address: J. H. McKay, 227 W. Florida St., San Antonio, Texas. 11-8-7f.

For Sale:—Chrysanthemums. Phone 849. 11-10-7f.

For Rent:—Office space, 1217 Farragut street. Phone 1493. 11-11-5f.

Wanted:—An office boy. 1217 Farragut street. Phone 1493. 11-11-5f.

Lost:—Ladies dinner ring set with seed pearls and amethysts. Reward of five dollars will be paid for its return to this office. 11-12-4f.

NATIONAL W. C. T. U.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12.—White ribbons fluttered in St. Louis today. Women of every creed and station, wearing the snowy badge of the W. C. T. U., attached to emblems from the various States, poured into the city on every train. They are the delegates to the annual national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the sessions of which will begin tomorrow and continue an entire week.

The convention promises to be one of the most notable in the history of the well-known organization. It will be in the nature of a jubilation over the nation-wide prohibition victory, for which the members have striven so long and faithfully. Combined with the jubilee will be a celebration of the forty-fifth anniversary of the W. C. T. U., which was first organized at a conference held in Cleveland in 1874.

With the main objection for which the society was organized now about to become an accomplished fact, the coming convention will consider a program for its future work along various lines of social endeavor. The nature of its future activities is indicated by the list of subjects scheduled for consideration by the convention. These include Americanization, child welfare, and young people's welfare.

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When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on your temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.

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NUEVO LAREDO MUNICIPAL ELECTION ON DECEMBER 9TH

Mayor Juan M. Barrera Resigns as Mayor to Become Candidate for Office at Ensuing Election.

In order to become a candidate for mayor of Nuevo Laredo at the municipal election to be held in that city on December 9, when a mayor and nine aldermen will be elected, Mayor Juan M. Barrera has resigned his office of mayor and announced his candidacy for the office again on the ticket of the "Partido Cooperatista Tamaulipeco," (known as the "White party") and on which he was elected at the last special election. Dr. Francisco Serrano is now serving as mayor pro tem of Nuevo Laredo.

Opposing Mr. Barrera for the office of mayor of Nuevo Laredo is the candidate of the "Red party," is Donaciano Echavarria, who is a prominent business man of that city. Both parties have full tickets in the field for the election, including a mayor and nine aldermen, and the contest promises to prove a most interesting one.

THE MINERS WILL PRESENT THEIR ORIGINAL DEMANDS AT THE CONFERENCE NEXT FRIDAY

Illinois Miner Official Says They will Stick to Their Demand for Sixty Per Cent Increase, Six-Hour Day and Five-Day Week—He Believes That the Miners Will Not Return to Work.

By Associated Press.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 12.—The original demands of a 60 per cent increase in wages and a six-hour day and five-day week will be presented to operators by the miners' joint scale conference in Washington Friday, according to an official of the Illinois district. "In my opinion the miners will not return to work," he said.

FIVE WERE KILLED ON ARMISTICE DAY

FOUR DIED FROM I. W. W. BULLETS AND SECRETARY OF REDS LYNCHED BY LEGIONERS.

By Associated Press.

Centralla, Wash., Nov. 12.—This little city is quiet after 12 hours' disorder in which five men lost their lives. Three members of the American Legion were shot down yesterday as the Armistice Day parade passed in front of the Industrial Workers of the World headquarters. Another, also a member of the Legion, suffered a fatal wound in attempting to apprehend one of those firing, while the fifth, Britt Smith, secretary of the local branch of the I. W. W., was hanged by the mob. A company of the State Guard arrived and is patrolling the town today. They found members of the American Legion patrolling with hundreds of others in nearby towns held in reserve. The Legioners assisted the police chief and the four paid policemen to scout the town for suspects. Evidence gathered is said to indicate that the attack was premeditated. Twenty are under arrest.

ASK FOR CLOTURE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 12.—A movement to limit senate debate on the peace treaty by invoking a cloture rule has been inaugurated by the Democratic leaders. The petition for cloture soon received double the necessary signatures.

WOMEN TO CONFER.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 12.—Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of a most notable gathering of women in San Antonio early next month, when representative women of four of the Southwestern States will meet here for a conference with representatives of the leading women's clubs and similar organizations in Mexico. The States to be represented will include this bordering on the southern republic—Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and Southern California. Discussion of the problems affecting women and adoption of a program for co-operative effort among the women of the four States and Mexico in advancing their interests is expected.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots fair demand; prices easier. Sales 10,000. Receipts none. Good middling 26.30 (English pence). Middling 24.80. Easter. Nov. 24.72-42; Dec. 23.97-99; Jan. 23.80-29; March 22.78-25; May 22.08-21.80.
Close—Easy. Nov. 24.13; Dec. 23.73; Jan. 23.13; March 22.20; May 21.61.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 27.90-80; Jan. 36.75-63; March 35.60-40; May 34.60-70.
Close—Weak. Dec. 36.20-25; Jan. 35.16 offered; March 34.08 offered; May 33.16 offered.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 38.20-25; Jan. 37.15-12; March 35.80-70; May 34.72-83.
Close—Weak. Dec. 36.63-70; Jan. 35.48 asked, March 34.20 asked; May 33.20 asked.

Houston.
Spots steady, 200 points down. Middling 40.00. Sales 350. To arrive 7.883.

Galveston.
Spots steady, 100 points down. Middling 41.50. Sales 415. F. O. B. 38.65.

PREPARING FOR EMERGENCIES.

"Where are you going, Geraldine?" "To court to hear a breach of promise case tried. It's the fourteenth I've attended so far."

"I'm surprised at you."

"Well, I never expect to have a breach of promise suit of my own, but if I ever do I'm going to show just as much quiet self-possession in the court room as the judge himself."

—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Declared Martial Law.

Bismark, N. D., Nov. 12.—Governor Frazier declared martial law in the coal mining districts and announced that he would take over the lignite mines today. In his proclamation the governor ordered the adjutant general to assume charge of the mining industry and see that the mines are reopened at once and the people of the state supplied with coal as soon as possible. The governor declared that not until the operators and miners agreed and demonstrated their willingness and ability to operate the mines in such a manner as to protect the interests of the people would the order be revoked.

Did Not Obey Order.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 12.—The Kanawha coal mines did not obey the order to return to work. Only four of two hundred miners began work, and those were of the smelter forces.

Seized Arms of Miners.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 12.—Deputy sheriffs acting on an executive warrant issued by the governor seized a quantity of arms and ammunition in the express office at Dawes, a mining village in the Cabin Creek district. The arms were consigned to a miner in Dawes. Nine rifles and 1,000 cartridges made up the shipment.

None in Iowa in Operation.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 12.—Not a union mine was in operation in Iowa today, reports to headquarters of the state operators' association said.

Not Sufficient Time Yet.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 12.—It was not expected there would be any results today from the orders at Indianapolis yesterday, because insufficient time had elapsed to officially inform the miners.

Texas Miners Still Out.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 12.—Striking Texas miners had not been ordered back to work at noon today.

AMERICANS WANT TO RETURN IN DECEMBER

BRITISH DELEGATES ALSO WANT TO GO HOME AND CONFERENCE MAY CLOSE VERY SOON.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The American delegation to the peace conference has informed the supreme council of its intention to leave France during the first days of December, according to semi-official information from the French foreign office. The British delegation has expressed the same desire and the general impression is that the conference will conclude its work by the end of this month.

Letts Attacked Russo-Germans.

Dorpat, Livonia, Nov. 12.—Letish troops in the region of Riga attacked the German-Russian forces of Colonel Bermond yesterday and pushed them back several miles along the entire line, the Letish conferees to the state's conference here were advised today.

VENISON STORAGE.

We are not prepared to properly care for fresh meat and for that reason do not want to accept any venison for storage. If we do accept any it will simply be as an accommodation and held at the owner's risk.

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TIMES WANT ADS.

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NEGRO SUSPECTS IN ST. LOUIS ARRESTED

ACCUSED OF ATTEMPTING TO INCITE NEGROES AGAINST WHITES AND SPREADING UNREST.

By Associated Press.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12.—Three negro men and one woman are being held by the police, suspected of attempting to incite the negroes against the whites. One negro in a speech asserted that the negroes should demand \$10,000 from the government for every negro killed in race riots.

PUPILS SUSPENDED.

By Associated Press.

Waco, Texas, Nov. 12.—Three hundred high school students, boys and girls, were suspended indefinitely today by Principal Gensheimer for quitting school yesterday because they were not allowed a holiday.

SENATOR MARTIN DEAD.

By Associated Press.

Charlottesville, Va., Nov. 12.—Senator Thomas S. Martin, Democratic leader in the senate, died today after a several months' illness.

TO ENFORCE LAW.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 12.—John W. Kramer, an attorney of Mansfield, Ohio, has been appointed federal prohibition commissioner in direct charge of the enforcement of wartime and constitutional prohibition.

A RECONSTRUCTION CONGRESS.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—With interesting ceremonies conducted in the presence of a distinguished gathering of invited guests, Dr. J. Stanley Durkes, a Congregational clergyman of Brockton, Mass., today was formally installed as president of Howard University, succeeding Dr. Stephen M. Newman. The exercises brought to Washington representatives of many of the leading educational institutions of America, together with a number of men and women actively interested in the welfare of the negro race.

Today's inauguration is to be followed tomorrow by a "Readjustment and Reconstruction Congress," with special reference to the part that the negroes must bear to a permanent solution of present-day problems. The program as formulated calls for the discussion of many national and international problems of great importance. Health, thrift, child welfare, and the negro and the church are among the subjects that will be given attention.

Representatives of the great welfare agencies of the country, State and international boards of health, bureaus of the government, leading churchmen and authorities of national and international reputation have been invited to speak upon the several subjects outlined.

It is expected that out of the congress will grow the formulation of a program looking to the just settlement of the problems of reconstruction that relate particularly to the negro.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

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THE REAL TEST.

The miners' officials have submitted outwardly—to the mandate of the court ordering the strike order withdrawn, and now comes the real test between the government and the labor organization; that of securing the return of the men to work.

It seems certain that if the miners' officials do not want to really obey the government the men will not return to work, no matter what their ostensible attitude of obedience.

And they can take refuge behind the statement that the men are not willing to return to work and that the officers of the union have neither the right nor the power to coerce them.

Whatever is behind the outward attitude of obedience, the men are not returning to work, and some of the state officials of the miners' union announce that they do not believe the men intend to return to work until their original demands have been granted.

One thing stands out plainly: The officials are accepting the dictum of the court under protest. They find that they will have to obey or be in contempt of court, so they give in to what they consider force on the part of the government.

That the original demands will not be accepted by the operators seems a foregone conclusion. They were denounced by the operators as being the most outrageous terms ever offered by a labor organization, and it is apparent that the government does not believe them to be just, for they offered the miners and operators an opportunity of coming together to adjust their differences, which meant that they hoped for some modification of the original demands.

A sixty per cent increase in wages seem to be enough in all conscience. And as to the claim of the miners that they are kept idle for a part of the time and therefore demand a six-hour day and a five-day week, this is shown to be ridiculous from the present standpoint, when all industries, all systems of transportation and most of the homes of the country are without fuel and have no hope of getting any in time to stave off a calamity unless the miners get to work at once and work overtime to get enough coal on hand to supply all urgent demands.

The action of the governor of North Dakota may be imitated by other executives. He has taken over the mines of his state, given the adjunct general full charge and instructed him to operate the mines in such a manner as to protect the best interests of the people.

But just how this would work in Illinois, for example, with its hundreds of mines and many thousands of miners, is problematical. In the first place, the politics of that state might operate to prevent the interference of the governor unless there were disorders which he could not ignore. And many of the miners are of foreign birth, if not still aliens, and of a very turbulent sort, which might cause trouble if the state were to order the mines operated despite the wishes of the union miners.

The end of the difficulty has not yet been reached. The mere order to quit striking does not mean that the miners are counseled by their union chiefs to return to work. And the leaders may say they cannot control the men and leave it to the authorities to handle the matter.

It is not as easy to break a mine strike as it is one of the dock-handlers, for instance. Not every laborer knows enough to go into the mine and get out coal. And there are many who would hesitate at accepting work which might easily be dangerous for novices.

The operators are between the devil and the deep blue sea. They are directed by the government to get out coal as soon as possible. But that may mean absolute surrender to the miners, for only the miners can get out the needed coal, and unless they are disposed to go to work, there seems to be no power that can make them do so.

But in the end the people will get coal, for it is unthinkable that people should freeze or starve for lack of something that can be supplied.

A VILE CONSPIRACY.

The more the Centralia, Washington, affair is probed, the worse it turns out. It now develops that the murder of four persons, all ex-soldiers, was deliberately planned out of revenge for their attitude toward the I. W. W., and that when the parade was nearly over without any trouble having started, the members of the I. W. W. decided to start it themselves.

It may as well be understood from the first that any attack on the war veterans is an attack on the principles for which they fought, and that the entire American people will resent any attempt on the part of lawless people to offer an affront to our soldiers, or the government which they represent.

The attack on the Armistice Day parade was an attack on the American people, for the parade was in celebration of the victory which was won by American soldiers in defense of American principles.

The principles of the I. W. W., if they can be called principles, are opposed to all government, law and order. The members of the organization are worthy followers of the idea which in Russia resulted in the soviet

"government," which demands the right to rule and to kill off all who oppose that rule.

The I. W. W. hate the soldiers, for the men in uniform represent government and law enforcement. They hate the police, for the policeman's badge represents the civil authority which the anarchists oppose. They desire the destruction of courthouses, for in those temples of justice the lawless are punished. They desire the destruction of all property records, for they deny the right of holding private property.

With these bases, it is not difficult to understand why the I. W. W. organization is opposed by all decent, law-abiding citizens, or why the anarchists are ready to attack anything which is in opposition to their program.

Knowing that the soldiers were not armed, the I. W. W. prepared for their attack by supplying themselves with high-powered rifles and plenty of ammunition. They expected to meet only the slight resistance which could be made by the town's small police force. And they were determined to kill, expecting that the I. W. W. in the larger cities of the state would rally to their defense.

The evidence unearthed by a search of the other headquarters of the organization shows that the conspiracy was widespread. The day selected was that on which the Russian anarchists had planned to strike their blow, which indicates that there was some connection between the two plots.

But the prompt action of the soldiers at Centralia, while not quick enough to prevent the murder of four of their number, was such as to prevent any further activity on the part of the I. W. W., and the people, as was to have been expected, rallied to the support of the forces of law and order, and the conspiracy failed.

While the people in that section are aroused over this foul conspiracy it would be a good time to put an end to this vile organization. Every leader of it should be arrested and tried for his crimes. Those who are now under sentence, including Haywood, who is out on bail pending an appeal, should be arrested if they do anything to further the cause of anarchy, and the punishment for the offenses committed by any of the I. W. W. should be the extreme penalty provided by law.

This is no time to dally with an anarchist. We have seen what resulted in Russia from the mistaken notion that anarchists could be converted into good citizens. We should not make the same mistake. There is too much at stake in this country for us to run the risk of I. W. W. rule, even for a day. The life of any American citizen is worth more than the lives of all the vile crew who would begin their rule with an orgy of assassination. And when one thinks of what would happen to the women and children under such a rule as that of the Russian soviet, nothing more is necessary to convince all that the I. W. W. must go.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 13.

Aristide Briand, who is looked upon as a probable successor to M. Clemenceau, has already been six times Premier of France. In a country where meteoric careers are the rule, M. Briand's rise to prominence was marked by his swiftness. Two decades ago he was unknown except among the members of his own party, the Revolutionary Socialists. Beginning life as a lawyer in a small provincial town, he later went to Paris and there turned his attention to politics and to journalism rather than to law. His opportunity came when he was appointed reporter of the Church and State Separation bill. His work in this post was marked by exceptional ability and the result was his appointment as Minister of Instruction and Public Worship. Two years later he was appointed Minister of Justice, and in 1911 he became Premier for the first time. In every office to which he has been called M. Briand has displayed great ability and strength of character. He is also an orator of extraordinary power and eloquence.

GENERAL MENDOZA AND NEMESIO NARANJO ARE FINED

Entered Pleas of Guilty to Violation of Neutrality Laws in Federal Court and Have Fines Imposed.

Among the sentences and fines imposed in federal court yesterday afternoon by Judge Hutcheson in cases which had been tried, and in many of which the defendants had entered pleas of guilty, were those in the cases of General Santiago Mendoza of this city and Nemesio Garcia Naranjo of San Antonio, who on Tuesday afternoon entered pleas of guilty to violation of the neutrality laws by attempting to set on foot a military expedition against a friendly nation.

Yesterday afternoon a fine of \$500 each were imposed upon Mendoza and Naranjo, which they will pay, but there was no prison sentence assessed. The case against Alfredo Gayon, private secretary of the late General Blanquet, who was arrested about the same time last year as Mendoza and Naranjo, his arrest taking place in New York while in the employ of General Blanquet, will also probably enter a plea of guilty and pay the same fine as that imposed on the other two men who are charged with being in with him on the offense of violation of the neutrality laws of this country.

TRAINING FOR SUNDAY'S BATTLE.



"Knockout" Brown.

On next Sunday afternoon in the Bull Ring, New Laredo, the eyes of Texas fans will be centered on the outcome of two important fights, which are scheduled to be over the 20-round route.

In the first 20-round battle the little flyweight champion of Texas, Kid Poncho, will defend his title against K. O. Brown, the little Houston slugger, and this scrap is attracting more than ordinary interest. Brown has knocked out his last four opponents, while Poncho has never lost a fight in over 50 ring battles. In a letter to "Guy" Turpin the promoter, Brown says: "I will arrive there Saturday with Garcia and we are in good condition. I tried to get a match with Poncho in San Antonio but couldn't get it, so now that I have him in a 20-round fight I feel sure I'll win the title. I know I can hit and he don't fall I am going to look and see what's holding him up."

Kid Poncho is training here and getting as fast as lightning. He doesn't anticipate any fear of Brown and says that he can always beat hard hitters quicker than clever boys. He expects a hard fight however. Willie Moody, pride of the I. & G. N. is in shape and will arrive from San Antonio Friday. He is a wonderful battler on the old Bat Nelson order and carries the fight to his opponent at times. In Jose Garcia he is meeting the toughest of the present day Mexican lightweights, and a fighter who can hit from any angle with stunning results. Garcia is with Brown and will arrive shortly. This will be one of the biggest shows ever staged here, with two twenty round main events. Either fight should draw a capacity house any place in Texas.

Two good prelims will also be staged preceding the main events. Tickets are now on sale at the Torreon Exchange and Commission Co. and those waiting first row seats should buy them now as they are going fast.

EN ROUTE TO A CONFERENCE WITH BONILLAS IN NEW YORK

General Jose Agustin Castro, ex-Secretary of War and ex-Governor Osuna Pass Through Laredo.

General Jose Agustin Castro, who served for some time as sub-secretary of war in the Carranza cabinet, but who recently resigned that portfolio and is now the campaign manager of Mexican Ambassador Ignacio Bonillas in his race for president of Mexico, arrived in Laredo yesterday afternoon accompanied by ex-Governor Andres Osuna of the state of Tamaulipas.

Both gentlemen were accompanied by their families and upon reaching this side of the Rio Grande proceeded to the Bender Hotel, where they remained until last night, when they took the train for New York, where Messrs. Castro and Osuna will hold an important conference with Ambassador Bonillas next week on matters pertaining to the presidential campaign in Mexico. As all candidates for office must be out of any public office when announcing their candidacy, it is very probable that Ambassador Bonillas will soon tender his resignation as ambassador to the Mexican government, in fact such an announcement may follow the New York conference next week.

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FEDERAL COURT NEARS END AFTER FOUR-DAY SESSION

Laredo National Bank Won Civil Suit; Numerous Other Cases Disposed of; Court May Adjourn Tomorrow.

In the federal court yesterday afternoon the civil suit of Maitland, Coppel & Co. of New York vs. the Laredo National Bank, suit for recovery on a purported forged draft for \$6,600, which had occupied the greater part of the day, went to the jury, and after that body had deliberated on the facts adduced by the testimony they brought in a verdict in favor of the Laredo National Bank.

After being in session for three days and finishing the business before them, the grand jury in federal court were discharged late yesterday afternoon. The last batch of bills were returned shortly before they were dismissed.

Several criminal cases wherein the defendants were charged with smuggling and other offenses were tried yesterday afternoon, while in some other cases previously disposed of sentences were imposed by the court.

Mrs. Elizabeth Threadgill was admitted to practice in the federal court and appointed to defend her first client therein, a man charged with smuggling, whose case will probably be taken up this afternoon.

In all probability the court will finish its business either this afternoon or tomorrow and adjourn for the term.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

HAS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN FOR THE LADIES COMMITTEE

County Chairman F. Wormser of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Committee Selects Mrs. Hal W. Greer.

Ferdinand Wormser, who has been appointed chairman of Webb county for the Red Cross Christmas Seal campaign, announced today that Mrs. Hal W. Greer had been appointed chairman of the ladies committee and that there would be a meeting at the Wormser home on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when all ladies interested in having Laredo take her full quota of the Christmas Seals are urged to attend and help in the movement.

Two hundred thousand or more Red Cross Christmas Seals will be sold in Texas in December when the state seal sale opens. Every indication points to the Texas quota of \$200,000 being realized, with a surplus to enable even a more intensive fight against tuberculosis for 1920 than originally planned.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

All service cars answering phones 515 and 905, on and after Nov. 15, because of the increased prices for gasoline, tires, accessories, etc., will charge the following tariff for trips:

One trip, one person	25c
One trip, two persons	25c
One trip, three persons	40c
One trip, four persons	50c
After 11 p. m. and during rain, each person	25c
One hour	\$1.50

It is understood that the above tariff is for trips within the city.

JOSE NIETO RAUL ORNELAS

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon: One carload of beer, one carload of lead, four carloads of tixle and one carload of goatskins.

The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertani Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

County Judge Page is in receipt of a letter from H. P. Hornby, supervisor of the census for the 15th Texas District urging him to induce eight or ten more Laredo people to apply for appointment as census enumerators in Webb county. Already there are seventeen applicants who have applied—the number required is twenty-three. Applicants are urged to apply at once.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent. 10-14-1m.

Just listen to this forecast: "Tonight, fair; freezing—probably frost!" In the vernacular of the day, "some cold." But there are may forecasts that go amiss. However, it would be well to be prepared for severe cold weather tomorrow. Now all together; call for the stove and fuel man.

We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. B. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-1f.

Weather like that which prevailed this morning is of the kind that makes one feel like getting lively soon after arising for the day. It was a cold, dry norther, the kind that "goes through" one if he stands still very long after crawling out of his warm bed.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

The Belmont Rooms and apartments. 602 Main Ave. Phone 576 or 1017. 6-20-1f.

Buck hunters will be out in force Saturday, as this kind of weather is the kind to make Johnny and his little gun hanker for sight of a big buck grubbing in some grassy spot. Besides getting buck, there is also some duck to be gotten these days, as just after a norther the ducks are luckier than ever.

We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fides Cantu, Phone 202. 6-16-1f.

Will W. Greer, Notary Public, at Times office; residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 348. 4-27-1f.

Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans. 4-24-1f.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 13.

Duke of Marlborough, whose title is one of the most distinguished in the British peerage, born at Simla, India, 48 years ago today.

Princess Giovanni, third daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, born in Rome, 12 years ago today.

Sir Thomas White, late minister of finance in the Dominion Cabinet, born at Bronte, Ontario, 53 years ago today.

Moses Alexander, former governor of Idaho, born in Germany, 60 years ago today.

Joseph D. Eggleston, the new president of Hampton-Sidney, born in Prince Edward County, Va., 52 years ago today.

Louis D. Brandeis, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, born in Louisville, 63 years ago today.

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Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Signed before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. (Seal) Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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MEXICO TO LEVY HEAD TAX 20 PESOS ON ALL ENTRIES

Bill Has Been Approved By the Mexican Chamber of Deputies and is Now Before Mexican Senate.

The following item taken from the San Antonio Express of yesterday has created much interest in Laredo and the citizens of the border country, as well as all others will await results of the action of the Mexican senate:

The Mexican Chamber of Deputies, now in session, have approved a decree placing a tax of 20 pesos on all persons passing through ports of entry into Mexico. The bill has yet to go to the Senate for a vote before becoming effective, which, it is stated, will be about two or three months. Subjects of nation are exempt from this tax. This is the information received by Mexican Consul de la Mata of San Antonio.

Only Mexican laborers and others who prove that they are unable to pay the tax will be admitted into that country free. Persons entering this country from Mexico are always taxed \$1 by the American Consul, and this will continue in force. Upon their return to Mexico, however, they will have to pay the Mexican revenue.

At the present time there are no charges made except on passports issued by the Mexican consul, which is \$3 to all except those who prove that they are unable to pay the amount.

FEDERAL COURT ADJOURNS AFTER FOUR-DAY SESSION

Numerous Cases Tried and Disposed of; Court Officials Took Departure Last Night for Houston.

After a four days session, beginning on last Monday morning in the federal court room of the federal building here the United States Court for the Southern District of Texas in Webb county, adjourned yesterday afternoon and Federal Judge Hutcheson, District Attorney Simmons, United States Marshal Herring, District Clerk Masterson and other court officials left last night on their return to their homes to spend a couple of days before going to Corpus Christi on Monday, where the regular November term of court will be convened there on next Monday morning.

During the term just ended considerable business was transacted by the court, although there were not as many indictments returned as at previous terms, the grand jury having finished their work on Wednesday afternoon and being discharged. At the term numerous cases against smugglers, slackers, violators of the neutrality laws, etc., were tried and disposed of, the last of the cases being tried yesterday and sentences imposed.

WEED WEEK.

Every school boy on the Heights is requested to prove his civic pride tomorrow—Saturday—by chopping the weeds. Citizens owning vacant lots on the Heights are cordially invited to "clean up." The majority of the Heights residents have responded to the "call of the hoe," and are in line for the prize to be given a week from tomorrow. There will also be a prize given for the best appearing vacant block in the resident district. A committee from the Heights Civic Club is busy compiling a list of owners of vacant blocks and lots on the Heights.

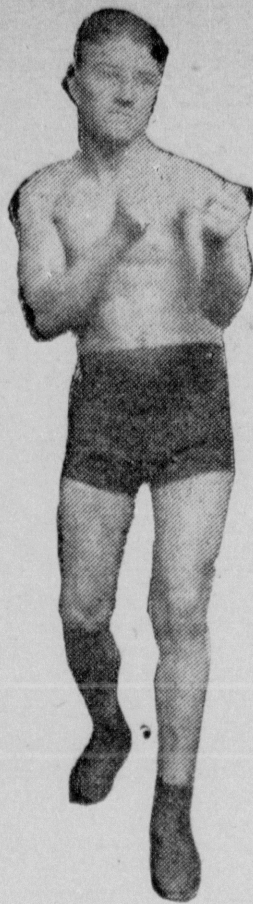
PASSED 1,500 BALE MARK; SEASON IS NEARING AN END

Up to Noon Today 1,508 Bales of Cotton Had Been Ginned; sufficient to Come in to Make 1,600 Bales.

The cotton ginning season in Laredo is now drawing to a close and within the next week or ten days the plant of the Laredo Cotton Gin Co., on the Heights here will close down for the season, as by that time all cotton of Webb and Zapata counties, which has been handled by the local gin, will have been baled, aggregating about 1,600 bales.

When the gin closed down for the day at noon today a total of 1,508 bales had been ginned. On account of the condition of the roads between Laredo and Zapata about 90 or 100 bales of cotton from Zapata county are yet to be brought here to be ginned, and these are expected to arrive during the coming week. The Webb county cotton crop this year was reduced to a low figure on account of the damage done by the storm on September 14 and the heavy rains before and after that time, and it is predicted that about 30 per cent of the crop hereabouts was lost on that account, while the Zapata county crop also suffered as a result of incessant rains from early in the planting period up to harvesting time. But with all these obstacles to contend with, the cotton farmers of both Webb and Zapata counties have received profitable returns on their cotton crops during the 1919 season and large crops of cotton will be planted next season.

The human brain usually stops growing at about fifty, and from sixty to seventy its tendency is to decrease in size.



The wonderful little Mexican pugilist who will defend his title as champion flyweight (110 lbs.) of the State of Texas, against the tough American pugilist, "Knockout" Brown, of Houston, Texas.

In over 60 battles, Poncho has never lost a fight, and is the most talked of fighter in Texas today. He will box 20 rounds with the American in the Bull ring, Nuevo Laredo, next Sunday afternoon, and it will be a wonderful fight.

In addition to this fight, the great Mexican welterweight, Jose Garcia, known as "El Gato," will fight Willie Moody, the great Missouri lightweight, in a 20 round scrap. There will also be some preliminary fights between amateurs.

Guy Turpin, well known promoter, is in charge of the fights and will act as judge.



A fine big 9½ pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lang this morning at 3:30 o'clock. Mother and child are doing nicely and the father is happy as can be.

The freeze and frost predicted for last night and this morning failed to materialize, as the mercury's minimum registration was 41 degrees—9 degrees above freezing. However, it was cold enough last night to make an overcoat comfortable out doors and heater comfortable indoors.

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon: Six carloads of little, one carload of henequen, four carloads of cotton seed cake and one carload of hides.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight in the Nuevo Laredo bullfight arena Sunday afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock. Willie Moody and Jose Garcia, the lightweights who will fight for twenty rounds, and "Knockout" Brown, who will meet "Kid" Poncho, who is already here, are expected to reach Laredo tomorrow. All are in good condition for their bouts.

Maria Castro, arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property, was arraigned for a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Benavides this morning and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300, in default of which she was remanded to the county jail.

The commissioners court is still in session transacting routine business and acting on other matters demanding their attention.

The following marriage license has been issued by the county clerk since last report: Carlos P. Osgood and Trinidad Sanchez.

VISIT OF "VATICAN CHOIR" ATTRACTS MANY VISITORS

Quite a Number of Laredo People Have Gone to San Antonio to Hear Notable Singers There Today.

A musical treat, unequalled perhaps by any previous event of the kind in this country, is on in San Antonio this evening, when seventy chorists from the basilicas of Rome, constituting the Vatican Choir, will give a twilight concert in the Alamo City before a crowd which will cause an overflow of the spacious Majestic Opera House.

From all over Texas people are going to San Antonio to hear these famous singers, and Laredo will be strongly represented there, as a number of lovers of real music left here yesterday and today for the Alamo City, having secured their seating reservations some time ago, as there are no seats to be had now.

Notice to the Public.

I have moved my dental office from my residence on the Heights to 516 Salinas avenue, upstairs in the Branman building. My office phone is No. 571.

DR. G. C. HIATT.

11-14-6t.



Mrs. Violet S. Oberfeldt
Society Editor

Phone 70 Phone 43

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Mrs. R. B. Echols will entertain at bridge at her home, 1717 Houston street, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Saturday.

Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

General Mention.

Col. H. M. Taylor of San Antonio, who spent Wednesday in Laredo, has returned home. While in the city he was the guest of Mrs. H. D. Shelby.

Mrs. G. C. Hlatt and little daughter are home again after a delightful two months' stay in Indiana.

Col. B. B. Buck is in San Antonio for a few days' stay.

Mr. L. A. Morrow is in San Antonio in attendance at the convocation of the Scottish Rite bodies.

Mrs. M. McLaurin has returned to San Antonio after a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wiggins.

Miss Hazel Merriman left this morning for San Antonio for a several weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hauser.

Mr. W. T. Nebitt Sr. has returned to his home in Anderson, Texas, after a week's visit to his son, Mr. W. T. Nebitt Jr.

Announcement.

The regular dance of the Community Service will take place tonight at the post, with the full 37th Infantry band furnishing the music. Everything will be done to make the affair enjoyable to all, and a cordial invitation is extended to the townspeople to attend.

Ladies Aid Society.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church held a business meeting with Mrs. Dannelley yesterday afternoon. The Bible study was led by Mrs. Neff. After the lesson was concluded and the business transacted, a pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostess served fruit salad and cake. Those present were: Mesdames Little, Earnest, Morgan, Phelps, Rodgers, Keithley, E. F. Hamilton, Millar, Worsham, Lindsay and Dannelley.

Entertainment.

One of the delightful social events of the week was the evening bridge party given by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton on Wednesday, complimenting a number of friends, the occasion being Mr. Hamilton's birthday. The decorations in the living room featured yellow and white chrysanthemums, filling artistic baskets and vases. In the dining room the same color note was reflected, giant Japanese chrysanthemums in a tall vase occupying the table. Quantities of beautiful ferns were also used. Seven tables were arranged for the players, and in the series of games of auction bridge played the ladies' high score prize, a hand-painted bonbon box, was awarded Mrs. Joe Vidales; the men's high score prize, a silver tray, was won by Mr. T. A. Leyendecker; the low score prize, a silver pencil, went to Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker. At the conclusion of the games a delicious two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The favors were dainty yellow baskets filled with yellow and white mints. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the evening were: Mrs. K. S. Hamilton, Dr. H. J. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. Sauvignat, Judge and Mrs. Greer, Dr. and Mrs. Younklin, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Buenz, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin, Prof. and Mrs. Mally, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Christen, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vidales, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muller, Mrs. McNeil Turner, Mrs. H. D. Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. Lafon, Miss Lucille Murphy and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton.

Thursday Bridge Club.

The members of the Thursday Bridge Club and a number of guests were delightfully entertained by Miss Eva Levi yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Wormser. The rooms were artistically decorated in white chrysanthemums and ferns. Upon the arrival of the guests a prettily appointed two-course luncheon was served. In the pleasant series of games of bridge played the club prize was won by Miss Helen MacGregor, who received a cut-glass sandwich dish. The guest prize, a lovely cut-glass sugar bowl and cream pitcher, went to Mrs. L. A. Lafon. Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Annie and Frances Alexander, Helen MacGregor, Maria Mowry, Esther Hirsch, Josephine Sauvignat and Lucille Murphy; Mesdames Joe Moser, Ira O'Meara, Witting and Wormser;

guests—Mesdames Inez Hill and Betty Beene, Mesdames W. C. Nye, J. J. Jeter, Shelby, E. H. Buenz, J. S. Penn, Buck of San Antonio, Black, Lafon, and Moyer of San Antonio.

Public Health Work.

Two interesting meetings were held at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A. recently, addressed by Mr. R. C. Ortega, Spanish-speaking field secretary of the Texas Public Health Association, who has been in Laredo for some time carrying on the work of educating the Mexican residents in the necessity of sanitation and hygiene. Mr. Ortega told the audience of the need of general knowledge of what constituted a clean city, and impressively told the women that they are responsible for the health of a community, and that the responsibility centers largely in the home. The first meeting was held Wednesday of last week and the other meeting on Wednesday of this week. After the addresses, an informal reception was held and coffee and sandwiches were served.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

PERSONALS

Davis McGown is in the city on a short business trip. Mr. McGown is now operating an irrigated farm near Devine which he recently acquired.

FIRST CONVENTION OF LABOR PARTY.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 13.—The promoters of the new American Labor party declare they find grounds for such encouragement in the recent election results, particularly in the gains made by the Socialists in New York City and elsewhere. In the public mind the new party is certain to be associated with the Socialist party, so the results of the election which are taken as an indication that the Socialists no longer provoke the bitter public opposition which they encountered during the war, are naturally gratifying to the promoters of the new movement. The latter, in reality, is an offshoot of the Socialist party, but in one particular the new party expects to encounter none of the popular opposition with which the Socialists have met. The new Labor party, it is declared, will be 100 per cent American.

The American Labor party, which was given birth at a conference held in Chicago some months ago, aims to be in the presidential campaign next year. With this object in view it is planning to open its first national convention in this city one week from next Saturday.

The convention was first called to assemble in Chicago, but later it was decided to hold the gathering in Cleveland. The change in the meeting place was due to the efforts of Max S. Hays, the chairman of the executive committee, and a resident of this city. Eighteen hundred delegates are expected at the convention with representatives among them from all the States except, perhaps, a few in the South.

The best organized labor interests in the United States are the railway employees—nearly 2,000,000 unionized, skilled workers, and with a view to corraling, so far as possible, these men in the transportation service of the country to the new party what may be called "railway cities" are the ones represented on its executive committee—Cleveland, Chicago, Kansas City and New York.

The call issued for the national convention declares for "restoration of all civil liberties, the public ownership and democratic management of the mean of transportation and communication, mines, finance, and all other monopolies and natural resources; the abolition of excessive land ownership and holding land out of use for speculative purposes."

"We hold that the formation of a 'National Labor Party,' the call states, 'has not only become expedient, but imperative. The hopeless bankruptcy of the dominant political parties and their utter inability to function in the interests of the people in the present crisis, and to meet the profound social and economic problems that now portend, make it self-evident that the people must take the reins of government in their own hands if grave consequences are to be avoided and this country is to be made safe for justice and democracy.'"

FROM HERE AND THERE.

Savings banks were invented by a clergyman.

Tokio has more than thirty daily newspapers.

The Bible contains no words or names of more than six syllables.

The oldest known English picture is one of Chaucer, painted in 1380.

Amber is found in various colors besides yellow—black, white, brown, and green.

DISTILLERIES SOLD WHISKEY OPENLY IN LOUISVILLE TODAY AT \$75.00 PER CASE

Orders Filed Before July 1 were Filled in Hundreds, Distillers

Claiming Right to Sell Under injunction Granted

Against Government Interference with the

Sale of a Million Gallons.

COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE ANTI-AMERICAN

PROPAGANDA IN COLOMBIA IS TRACEABLE TO MEXICAN

MINISTER UGARTE, IT

CHARGED.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The Mexican National holiday, September 16, has been made a state holiday in Colombia, the senate of Colombia by resolution decreeing that such honor should be paid "our sister republic," advises to Washington today said. A copy of the resolution, signed by all the members of the Colombian senate, was forwarded to Carranza through Gerzaya Ugarte, Mexican minister to Colombia. Ugarte is credited by officials here with fomenting much anti-American propaganda recently circulated in Colombia. An album was sent the Mexican foreign office containing the signatures of 5,000 Colombian university students, lauding Mexico's attitude toward foreigners, having reference it is believed to the controversies between Mexico and the United States over the attempted confiscation of the oil lands. In the dedication of the album Mexico is called "The Sentinel of the Latin-American Nations."

NON-STOP FLIGHT TO CHICAGO WAS BEGUN

GIANT AIRPLANE CARRIED EIGHT

PASSENGERS AND 1,500

POUNDS OF EXPRESS

MATTER.

By Associated Press.

Minneapolis, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Vice Admiral Mark Kerr's giant Handley-Page bombing plane left Mitchell Field at 7 o'clock this morning on a non-stop flight to Chicago, carrying eight passengers and 1,500 pounds of express. Admiral Kerr expected the trip would take 10 hours.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots good demand; hardening better qualities, prices later months. Sales 1,000. Receipts 12,400, all American. Good middling 26.73 (English pence). Middling 24.73. Futures steady. Oct. 24.40; Dec. 24.10-18; Jan. 23.40-55; March 22.39-52; May 21.89-86.
Close—Steady. Nov. 24.08; Dec. 23.70; Jan. 23.03; March 22.05; May 21.44.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 37.60-78; Jan. 36.70-65; March 35.00-34.93; May 34.15-05.
Close—Easy. Dec. 36.60-65; Jan. 35.50-55; March 34.05-15; May 33.07-17.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 37.90-38.00; Jan. 35.62-76; March 34.48-49; May 33.30-29.
Close—Steady. Dec. 37.30-35; Jan. 35.60-60; March 34.25-35; May 33.28-35.

Houston.
Spots steady, 100 points down. Middling 40.50. Sales 581. To arrive 1,549. F. O. B. 600.

Galveston.
Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 331. F. O. B. 3,969.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight, fair; heavy frost in interior and Eastern Texas, except in lower Rio Grande valley. Saturday, fair; rising temperature.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 51 degs.
Min. temp. 41 degs.
General direction of wind: North-east.
Clear.

By Associated Press.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 14.—Two local distilleries sold whiskey openly today at \$75.00 a case, regardless of the wartime prohibition law. Hundreds of orders filed before July 1 are being filled following the granting of an injunction yesterday restraining the government from interfering with the sale of a million gallons of floor stock whiskey. Other Kentucky distillers apparently are disposed to await the supreme court's decision concerning the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition act before trying to dispose of their stock, said to approximate 40,000,000 gallons.

Preparing in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Four hundred reservations in downtown cafes were booked today in anticipation of the injunctions tomorrow of Federal Judges Carpenter and Fitz Henry to prevent enforcement of wartime prohibition.

FINLAND WILL AID GENERAL YUDENITCH

PLANNED TO MAKE NEW AT-

TEMPT TO TAKE PETRO-

GRAD WITHIN FEW

WEEKS.

By Associated Press.

Helsingfors, Nov. 14.—The Baltic States conference at Dorpat has been advised that Finland has decided to aid General Yudenitch with 30,000 volunteers in a new attempt to take Petrograd in the next few weeks.

Raised Blockade of Fiume.

Copenhagen, Nov. 14.—The Italian government has officially raised the blockade of Fiume, according to advices through Laibach, Austria.

HELD FOR KILLING.

By Associated Press.

San Angelo, Texas, Nov. 14.—James Callan, a widely known Menard county ranchman, is in jail at Menard awaiting examining trial in connection with the killing of T. R. Billings, a De Witt county stockman, near the Callan ranch Wednesday.

Woman Indicted for Murder.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 14.—An indictment for murder was returned by the grand jury today against Mrs. Marguerite Towels, who shot and killed her husband Tuesday, claiming he had threatened to kill her.

COTTON CONSUMED.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Cotton consumed in October amounted to 555,344 bales of lint and 25,603 bales of linters, the census bureau announced today.

PROSPECTS OF GOLD SHORTAGE

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 14.—One of the principal subjects of discussion before the annual meeting of the American Mining Congress next week will be the threatened shortage of the gold supply in the United States. The predication is made in the official call that the trade demands for gold in this country in the next year will exceed by 15,000,000 the total production of all the mines in America; that in the following year the demand will exceed present production by \$20,000,000. A special program to deal with this phase of the industry is being prepared by those in charge of the congress.

An effort will be made by the congress to formulate definite recommendations to the mining and affiliated industries that may bring about better relations between employers and miners. The congress will have many mining and labor leaders as well as many financiers in attendance.

AWARDED TO GERMAN.

By Associated Press.

Stockholm, Nov. 14.—The prize for physics for 1918 was awarded to Professor Max Planck, of Berlin University.

PROCLAIMED THANKSGIVING.

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 14.—Governor Hobby today proclaimed November 27 Thanksgiving Day, a holiday in Texas.

NO PENNSYLVANIAN COAL MINE OPERATED

ILLINOIS MINERS VOTED TO

IGNORE STRIKE RECALL UN-

TIL THEIR DEMANDS

ARE MET.

By Associated Press.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 14.—Not a union mine in western Pennsylvania was in operation today, and it was said that few, if any, of the men would return to work Monday.

Voted to Ignore Call.

Joliet, Ill., Nov. 14.—The miners in the Wilmington district meetings last night voted to ignore the strike recall until a settlement of their demands was made.

Oklahoma Mines Idle.

McAlester, Okla., Nov. 14.—Not a mine in Oklahoma is working today, according to reports to the commissioner of the Oklahoma coal operators' association.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT IS LOST BY PLAINTIFF

CLAIMED FORTY-FIVE MILLION

DOLLARS FOR TRACT OF

LAND IN THE HUMBLE

OIL FIELD.

By Associated Press.

Houston, Texas, Nov. 14.—The largest damage suit ever tried in Harris county for \$45,000,000 on an alleged claim to 160 acres of land situated in the Humble oil fields was ended when Judge Harvey ruled that the grant of A. Goldman, plaintiff, had been allowed to lapse and was rescinded.

IN GRIP OF COLD WAVE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Virtually the entire Southeast is in the grip of a cold wave, with freezing temperatures in the interior of the Gulf states, excepting Florida. There was a heavy frost in the middle Gulf states.

APPEAL CASES ARE CALLED IN DISTRICT COURT HERE

Numerous Parties Punished By Fines in Corporation Court Take Their Cases to the Higher Court.

Today's session of the district court in this city is being devoted to the trial of numerous cases appealed by the defendants from the corporation court to the district court, and represent numerous cases involving alleged violation of the automobile regulations, etc.

THE SUGAR QUESTION.

According to the information received officially from Washington by the wholesale grocers, someone is profiteering in the sugar business, and apparently the government is going to do nothing about it, for Attorney General Palmer announces that the permitted price at the refineries will be 15c a pound. This means about \$18.75 per hundred pounds to the wholesale grocers, after paying freight, and their permitted profit will bring the price to the retailer of \$19.50 a hundred, which means that the people will have to pay at the least calculation 20c a pound. And this is figuring on such a small margin to the retailer—50c on a hundred pounds—that he would be justified in refusing to handle it, were it not for the benefit of his customers.

Meanwhile, there are open charges that the refineries and warehouses are almost bursting with sugar, although the wholesale grocers cannot secure a carload at any price, and the shortage is so acute that people will soon be worse off than they were in the days of the war when millions of pounds were being sent to our soldiers.

Even when a carload comes to Laredo, it means only somewhere around 50,000 pounds, which means less than two pounds a person if it is all sold here. And two pounds of sugar or less to each person will not last long.

Something should be done. It is certain that there is no profiteering in Laredo with regard to sugar. The price here has been as high as 13c a pound, but no higher, except for package sugar, which costs the dealers more than the sugar in bulk.

But if the charges are true—and surely the government has means of finding out—the guilty refiners who are holding for a raise should be forced to disgorge. The raw sugar is now being refined in Louisiana, and the warehouses at the New Orleans docks are said to be filled to capacity with sugar, which would be enough to supply all the demand in this section.

Not an ounce of sugar should be permitted to leave our shores until the American people's wants have been supplied. And there is no doubt that the sugar held in New Orleans is being reserved for foreign trade, because a higher price can be obtained abroad than at home, where the government has restricted the amount of profit.

One of the reasons for our high prices for coffee is the action of the Brazilian government in permitting only so much to be placed on the market at a time, thus keeping the prices up where they will make a good profit for the Brazilian coffee growers.

So if the Brazilian government can take care of its coffee growers, our government surely should be able to take care of the people of our country, and enable them to get the sugar they need at a price that is within their means.

It matters not to us that in Bolshevik Russia as high as \$5 a pound has been paid for sugar. We have the sugar. We grow a great deal of our own, and we import the balance in the crude form and refine it. Surely our people have the first call on the refined article.

But above all, we have been told that our government is opposed to profiteering. Then why permit a price of 15c to the refiner, when he has heretofore been satisfied with 10c? Perhaps not satisfied, but willing to do considerable business on that basis.

Is the sugar trust stronger than our government? Or is this concession of Mr. Palmer's merely a reward for not having soaked us harder when we were really short?

Most of us would like to know what is behind this enormous advance of 80 per cent in the permitted price to the refiners. We are interested, because we want to know if it is something beyond the control of the government, or may we expect it to be only temporary and transient.

But if we have to pay 60 to 80 per cent more for our sugar and then have to expect a shortage, while there is an ample supply on hand, we want to be informed the why and the wherefore of it all. We are not unreasonable; we are willing to be shown.

A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

Many things depend for their success on a difference of opinion between two or more parties. And just at present a difference of opinion is permitting some distilleries in Louisville, Kentucky, to dispose of the stock on hand, although the government insists that it will prosecute later when the supreme court shall have rendered its decision as to the constitutionality of the wartime enforcement act.

The government believes that the act is valid. The distillers, advised by their attorneys, believe that it is unconstitutional and that the supreme court will so declare. And a federal judge decides that the matter is sufficiently in doubt to warrant him in restraining the government from interfering with the sale of the liquor on hand pending the decision of the court.

It appears that no law at present is bomb proof until it has been submitted to the highest court for a decision. The president was of the

opinion that congress had no right to continue wartime prohibition and therefore vetoed the bill, which was promptly passed over his veto.

Now the question comes up: Are the liquor dealers justified in selling their stocks before the court has decided as to the validity of the law? It is true that the court may decide that the law is constitutional, in which case they could not hope to sell their liquor and would stand to lose a billion dollars, for that is the present value of the whiskey said to be stored in Louisville.

But if they proceed to sell in face of the present law and the court thereafter decides that the law is constitutional, they will then be liable to the penalties of the law. But they will also have the money for the whiskey, and that amount of money will enable them to put up a pretty strong fight, which is perhaps the angle from which they view the case.

It is discouraging to find that after all the years we have been engaged in governing ourselves we have not found a better system of making laws that will stand the scrutiny of the courts. Our lawmakers fashion a law which pleases the majority and it is placed on the statute books. Some person or group consults an attorney, proceeds to openly and brazenly violate that law, and then brings the case before the higher courts on a question of constitutionality. And in many cases the courts decide that the law is unconstitutional because of the misplacing of a comma, or an inversion of words which makes it obscure, or some other equally important defect, although the intent of the law is plain and the offense which it seeks to prevent is manifest to all.

If our laws have to run the gantlet of the courts, let us offer them to the courts before enacting them. There are too many interpreters in congress to make anything certain. One learned counsel says Tweedledee is the proper form, while another equally learned counsel says Tweedledum is nearer the original intent of the constitution. And whichever is chosen must be decided upon by the highest authorities, so let us go to the highest authorities before finally deciding upon something which may prove not to be worth the paper it is printed on.

It might be that such a course would prevent the enactment of much useless legislation, and it would certainly give pause to many who are bent upon getting their particular laws enacted if they were to find that the courts did not consider those laws as being in agreement with the constitution.

The question of wartime prohibition is not so important to the people as the question of whether or not such a law complies with the requirements of the constitution. There are many, of course, who would rather find that the law was not valid than to have it enforced. But before such a law is attempted to be enforced, we should know if it is constitutional. It would have been comparatively easy for congress to secure a decision from the supreme court before enacting the enforcement law. If the wartime prohibition act was unconstitutional, naturally an act to enforce its provisions would also be unconstitutional.

"POOR RELATIONS" AT ROYAL PLAY WITH A STRONG MORAL

One of Those Deep Human Interest Plays That Contain All Truth About Life As It Is Seen Today.

The play at the Royal last night, "Poor Relations," was one of those deep human interest dramas, interspersed here and there with a little comedy to offset the pathos, that told a beautiful story of how a poor girl, with great talent became the wife of a man whose parents had made him a pampered fool and after his marriage wielded an influence of an ominous nature by constantly reminding him that he had married a girl below his level and all that kind of hosh.

But the girl was a better and more sincere woman than he was a man, and he did not learn this until the good wife, tiring of his abuses and the insults of his arrogant parents, left him and he, in all his humility, trailed her to the humble home of her "hicky" parents and asked her forgiveness. Then he came to a realization that the real home is the home where loves dwell instead of selfishness and vanity. It was one of those stories that tell of life as it is observed in these times.

FOR DISTURBING OF PEACE ONE DEFENDANT WAS FINED

In Cases Appealed From Corporation to District Court Bonds Were Forfeited; Other Cases Continued.

In the district court yesterday only one case, that being appealed from the justice's court, was disposed of by trial, that being the case against Narciso Alanis, charged with disturbing the peace. He was found guilty and punished by a fine of \$5 and costs.

A number of cases appealed from the corporation to the district court were called yesterday, but when the parties failed to appear for trial their bonds were declared forfeited. Several other such cases were continued until the next term of court because the defendants demanded juries to try their cases, and as no jury had been summoned for the week the cases go over to the next term of court.

MISS MARY COPLEY DEVINE PASSED AWAY LAST EVENING

DEPUTY COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS IN CHARGE AT LAREDO.

Was One of the Most Untiring and Capable Deputy Collectors in Service; Funeral Probably Tomorrow.

After a several months illness, the past three months or more being spent in her bed, Miss Mary Copley Devine, deputy collector in charge of the Laredo customs house of the San Antonio district, closed her eyes in eternal slumber at her home, 1104 Juarez Avenue, last evening at 7:30 o'clock as her mother and other loved ones kept vigil at her bedside. For some time past the condition of Miss Devine had been precarious and her recovery was despaired of by those attending her, but the patient suffered herself held out hopes of going back to the work at the customs house that was under her direction, in fact only as late as November 1 she asked the physician attending her if she could not go to the federal building and look after her duties as deputy collector in charge.

Though one of the few women in the customs service holding so responsible a position as that of deputy collector in charge of so important a port of entry as Laredo, here on the Mexican border, that position could not have been filled more faithfully, for Mary Devine was an indefatigable worker and with that sincere realization that her work depended upon her administration of affairs, she untiringly set to the task. While America sent her boys "over there" where cannon roared, bullets cracked and the atmosphere was poisoned with gas, Miss Devine, at home, did her share to bring victory to the allied arms, for never did one work harder and more untiringly to keep the border free of German propagandists and other menacing characters than did she who now lies cold in death.

Her work, unlike that of the others in the service, did not have a limit of eight hours, for often she went home to supper in the evening after a hard day's work in the office, only to return later that night to look after some matter that needed her attention.

She was always the same true and faithful servant to Uncle Sam. One morning the writer met her with heavy eyelids and a wearied look on her face and asked if she was ill, and the reply was, "No, I was so tired when I finished my work last night that I could not sleep." When one gets too tired to sleep, then truly the physical and mental forces have been put to their severest tests and the nerves are so unstrung that slumber is resisted and the weary are robbed of needed rest. And this is the manner in which Mary Devine attended to her duties—did her work despite the jeopardizing of her health, and therefore her death may be directly attributed to a broken down constitution incapable of resisting the bodily ills that had put her on her deathbed. Now she is dead and all Laredo mourns her loss, her family are experiencing those pangs of sorrow that mere words of condolence but slightly assuage and Uncle Sam has lost one of his best and most untiring servants.

Mary Copley Devine, eldest daughter of Mrs. Jennie Devine, was born in Brownsville, Texas, on July 21, 1882. At the age of twelve years she moved with her parents and family to Laredo, attended the schools of this city and received her education here, graduating from the Laredo High School. About nine years ago she secured a position as clerk in the customs service under the late Collector of Customs James J. Haynes, and later was promoted to deputy collector and held this position under Collector of Customs Frank Rabb. When Collector of Customs T. A. Coleman assumed charge of the collectorship of this customs district about two years ago and the headquarters were removed to San Antonio, Miss Devine was made deputy collector in charge of the port of Laredo, which position she held at the time of her death, and up to within a few days ago received reports from the offices here, passed on them and approved them. Last January Miss Devine contracted influenza, which settled on her lungs, and since then had been in failing health.

Besides her aged mother, Mrs. Jennie Devine, deceased is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. W. Lang, Misses Jennie and Ella Devine, and four brothers, John and Pat Devine, of Pinar, Texas; George Devine, of Bisbee, Arizona, and William Devine, of Fort Worth, the latter of whom was at his sister's bedside when she passed away, while the other three brothers will reach here tomorrow afternoon. To all of these go the sincere sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but if the train reaches here on time tomorrow afternoon the funeral will probably take place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

PUGILISTS REACH LAREDO IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Moody, Garcia and Brown Arrived This Morning, and Poncho Was Already Here; Knockouts Predicted.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight mill to be held in the built-up arena in Nuevo Laredo tomorrow beginning at 4 o'clock, and besides the numerous parties who will attend the exhibition from the two Laredos, a large number of fight fans from San Antonio, Cotulla, Pearsall and other places are expected to reach here tomorrow morning and afternoon to attend.

Willie Moody, the welterweight from Springfield, Mo., Jose Garcia, the big Cuban boy, and little "Knockout" Brown, arrived in Laredo this morning, while "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, is already here with Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fighting exhibition. All four fighters are putting in today at hard work boxing and shadow boxing and are in excellent condition. Moody and Garcia, who are matched for a twenty-round go, are both confident of victory, while the same optimistic feeling pervades "Kid" Poncho and "Knockout" Brown, who will also go twenty rounds. The preliminaries will consist of bouts between local men and soldiers from Fort McIntosh.

Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fights, who has been in Laredo several days, says he believes there will be a record crowd in attendance to witness the exhibitions, and he expects a knockout in each fight.

UNITED HUMOR AND DRAMA.

A laugh now and then is enjoyed by everybody, and it is part of the pleasure of seeing Rex Beach's Goldwyn picture "The Girl From Outside," that you get a good laugh now and then in the midst of an absorbing story. The laughs are all in the right place, too. Some of them are due to the characters and some to the situations.

You can't help smiling a little at the five crooks and their great interest in their new ward, the orphan girl who comes alone to Alaska. The wall-eyed crook who is deaf only when he wants to be is a sketch when he isn't a scream. The Chinaman has the smile that won't come off. But most of all you'll be tickled by the capture of the cow in Nome to get milk for the girl when she is sick. The cow is handled a little roughly, but all in a good cause.

Rex Beach has a fine vein of humor himself, as you know if you have read any of his books recently. His characters are always getting off racy remarks. Well, all the Beach humor is liberally represented on the screen in "The Girl From Outside" along with a story as entertaining as this master of narrative has told. It will be seen at the Royal Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday.

SERVICES WILL BE RESUMED AT CHRIST CHURCH TOMORROW

Splendid Musical Program, With Mrs. Anderson Once More Presiding at the Organ.

After several weeks without services, owing to the absence of the Rector, and with Mrs. Flora Dilgarde Anderson once more presiding at the organ, the services at Christ Church tomorrow promise to be inspiring and devotional. Following is the musical program:

MORNING.

Processional hymn, "Ancient of Days."

Versicles.
Venite, Anon.
Te Deum, Quadruple Chant.
Benedictus, Anon.
Hymn before sermon, "The Church's One Foundation."

Benediction and Seven-fold Amen.
Recessional hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."
Organ Postlude, Faulkes.

EVENING.

Processional.
Festal Choral Service.

Magnificat, Gregorian.
Nunc Dimittis, Gregorian.
Hymn before sermon, "Oh, For a Closer Walk."

Offertory and Prayers.
Vesper hymn, "God, That Madest Earth."

Benediction and Choral Amen.
Recessional.
Organ Postlude, Nevins.
Flora Dilgarde Anderson, organist and director.
Marguerite Nelson, assistant.

Examination of Teachers.

The regular examination for all classes of teachers' certificates will be held in Laredo on the first Friday and the Saturday following in December, same being the 5th and 6th days of the month. Intending applicants should apply to the county superintendent on Monday morning, December 1st, in order that the Board of Examiners may be convened.

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LOCAL NEWS

Unless it rains this afternoon or tonight, there will be many deer hunters leaving for the chaparral before morning to reach some spot by daybreak and get a fine big buck when he shows up. Those who go hunting these days are cautioned to look out for snakes (those that infest the brush) for they said to be numerous as a result of the recent heavy rains.

The commissioners' court of Webb county, which has been in session during the past week, adjourned today. Numerous matters came before the commissioners during their session, including consideration of various road matters.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Epigenio Nieto and Miss Trinidad Portales, Robert Berndt and Miss Evie Larid, Isidor Freedman and Miss Fannie Berger.

The local customhouse quarters in the federal building were closed this morning out of respect to Miss Mary Devine, deputy collector in charge, who died at her home here last night.

The cool weather moderated last night and this morning was just sufficiently cool to be pleasant. A clouded sky throughout the day foreboded rain, but up to the noon hour no moisture of any consequence had fallen.

A Christ Church tomorrow morning Rev. Chas. W. Cook will give the message of Bishop Brent to the Parish of Christ Church. The music will be good and the services inspiring.

MAJOR LEAGUE BALL TEAMS TO TRAIN IN SOUTH TEXAS

If Prompt Action Was Taken By Laredo in Matter Some of the Teams Might Be Induced to Train Here.

Two of the major league base ball teams have already announced that they will come to Texas coast country around Corpus Christi and Brownsville to do their spring training, and that other teams of both the American and National Leagues would probably come to South Texas next year to train.

Laredo has everything in the way of climate, grounds and other facilities to offer some of the big major league base ball teams to come here. As for a ball park there is one already here and should a team be brought here there would be other teams coming here for exhibition contests. Why not get busy right now on the proposition of bringing some big league ball team here to train next spring? Laredo would get advertising from such a venture—and besides, there would be some real base ball games seen while the team was here.

PENNSYLVANIA HILLS FINE FILM SETTING

"The Gray Towers Mystery" Has Unusual Atmosphere.

The remarkable scenery of Milford, Pa., forms atmosphere in Vitagraph's new picture, "The Gray Towers Mystery." This production, with Gladys Leslie as star, will be shown at the Strand Theater Monday.

Among motion picture scouts, whose business it is to locate beautiful or otherwise distinctive places throughout the country, suitable for certain kinds of film treatment, the scenery around Milford is recognized as particularly fine. This locality has been invaded several times recently by Vitagraph companies for purposes of reproduction.

Milford is buried in a valley, whose environs are grand in the contour of rolling, far stretches of fertile plains. The estates that nestle within this region are comparable to the famed ranchos of Mexico, whose boundaries represent principalities.

"The Gray Towers Mystery" is a film that brings to view beautiful mistsphere is clothed with the magnificence of these surroundings. Its attitude of wildness.

Miss Leslie plays the role of a young working girl who inherits the ranch and the fortune of a dead uncle and who experiences tremendous adventure as mistress of her new destiny.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owen Gallagher left this morning for their home on the Venado ranch in Zapata county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnston and children expect to leave this evening for San Antonio for a short visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. E. Longworth and little daughter Jean of San Antonio are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. McDaniels.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

Sir John Aird, one of the eminent financial leaders of Canada, born in Quebec, 64 years ago today.

James O'Neill, a popular veteran of the American stage, born in Kilkenny, Ireland, 70 years ago today.

Charles E. Merriam, university professor and several times candidate for mayor of Chicago, born at Hopkinton, Iowa, 45 years ago today.

The Fairbanks Twins, Madeline and Marion, well known to the stage and motion pictures, born in New York City, 18 years ago today.

Vincent Astor, one of America's richest young men, born in New York City, 28 years ago today.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Friday.

Saturday.
Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dance at the Soldiers Club in the evening.

Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church will meet at the church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet in the Church at 6:45 p. m.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will hold its regular meeting in the League room of the Methodist Church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church meets at 6:45 at the church Sunday evening.

Monday.

Mrs. L. J. Christen will entertain the Nullo Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the Woman's Club at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

This May Interest You.

The Times desires all social items of interest and cordially invites its readers to supply such news to the society editor. Send or phone all items about weddings, parties, visitors, dinners, receptions, bazaars, children's parties, etc. If you are leaving town or returning, or have visitors arriving or departing, The Times will be glad to know it. While names will not be used all written communications must be signed. This is imperative to prevent imposition. Phone all society communications to the Society Editor of The Times at No. 70 between 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning and 5 and 8:30 in the evening.

God's Handwriting.

He writes in characters too grand For our short sight to understand; We catch but broken strokes, and To fathom all the mystery Of withered hopes, of death of life, The endless war, the useless strife— But there, with larger, clearer sight, We shall see this— His way was right.

—John Oxenham in All's Well. (George H. Doran Co., New York.)

General Mention.

Mr. L. A. Morrow returned this morning from a short business trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. A. Dickey returned home yesterday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. Geo. Hatley is in Galveston visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Jones.

Col. Frederick Gilbreath left last night for Washington, D. C., on a detail. He was accompanied as far as Austin by Mrs. Gilbreath, who after a short visit to relatives will return to Laredo for a longer visit to her parents before joining Col. Gilbreath.

Mr. J. F. Lynch is in the city on a business trip.

Mrs. M. B. Mowry is expected home today from San Antonio, where she went to hear the Vatican Choir.

Mr. Francisco C. Salinas of Monterey is in the city for a few days visit to his brother, Mr. B. C. Salinas.

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Announcements.

Mrs. R. L. Puster will entertain with a luncheon Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in honor of her sister Mrs. C. H. Bush.

There will be an important meeting of the Woman's Club Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. F. H. Buez will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Thursday evening, November 20.

Mrs. Chas. Deutz will entertain the Married Ladies Social Club on Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will have an infor-

mal reception Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Worsham, honoring their pastor and family. The members of the congregation and friends are invited.

The organist and director of Christ Church, Mrs. Flora D. Anderson, will be at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to try out voices of applicants for the choir. This is an opportunity to receive a choir training.

Associated Charities Meeting.
There was quite an interesting and enthusiastic meeting of the committees from the various clubs and societies yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. Plans for Tag Day for the Associated Charities Hospital were discussed and arrangements were made accordingly. Mr. Cook is the general chairman; Mrs. H. M. Austin, vice chairman and Mrs. R. L. Bobbitt secretary. There were 35 present at the meeting.

Entertainment.

Mrs. R. B. Echols entertained with a beautifully appointed bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. P. Woodard. The rooms were charmingly arranged for the occasion. Numbers of pink roses filled vases and bowls and ferns were also used. In the dining room red was the chosen color and the decorations were carried out in red roses and carnations. In the games of bridge played the high score was held by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton, who was given a cutglass fern dish; low score went to Mrs. W. T. Hill, who received a half dozen pyrex ramekins; consolation was cut by Miss Lucille Murphy, who received two cut-glass flower vases. Stuffed dates and mints were served during the games and afterward a delightfully-appointed three-course luncheon was enjoyed. The plate favors were long-stemmed white carnations. Those enjoying the charming hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Iuez Hill, Lucille Murphy, Annie and Frances Alexander and Woodbridge; Mesdames A. C. Hamilton, Shelby, Cogley, H. G. DaCamara, Hill, Young, George Moyer of San Antonio, Morrow, Witting, H. W. Johnston, Walker, Biggio, C. C. Jefferies, Fish, Lafon, Daiches, and Derby. Mrs. Echols was graciously assisted by Mrs. H. P. Woodard in entertaining her guests.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 15.
1807—Peter H. Burnett, first State governor of California, born at Nashville, Tenn. Died at San Francisco, May 16, 1895.
1813—An uprising took place in Holland against the French.
1857—James Hamilton, Jr., governor of South Carolina and the official head of the Nullification Party, died in Texas. Born at Charleston, S. C., May 8, 1786.
1869—Emperor of Austria and other notables arrived at Port Said for the opening of the Suez Canal.
1894—Queen Victoria received a deputation from the Queen of Switzerland.
1906—President Roosevelt visited the City of Panama, the first time a President of the United States passed beyond the jurisdiction of its flag.
1914—The Russians advanced upon Cracow.
1915—Russia announced intention to invade Persia to stop German activities there.
1916—Announcement that British Government would appoint a food controller with drastic power over prices.
1917—British forces of Gen. Allenby cut the railway connecting Jaffa with Jerusalem.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 15.
Ex-King Manuel II, in whose interest a strong monarchist movement is reported to have developed in Portugal, will quietly celebrate his 30th birthday today on the estate in England where he has resided since he lost his throne. So far as the public is aware he has expressed no desire to change his present lot, which is that of an English country gentleman and chicken farmer, for the strenuous and uncertain life of a king. Manuel was born the day of his relative, Dom Pedro II, was deposed from the throne of Brazil. His own succession to the throne of Portugal was the result of the assassination of his father and elder brother. The revolution in 1910 put an end to the Braganza, which dates from the end of the fourteenth century. His mother, Queen Maria Amalia, who also resides in England, was an Orleans princess, daughter of the Count of Paris.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 15.
American airmen landed in Cologne.
Former German Crown Prince was interned at Laetrich.
German people appealed to President Wilson to save them from starvation and anarchy.

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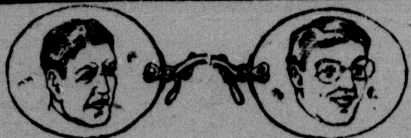
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MINE WORKERS ANNOUNCED ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL TO NEGOTIATE SCALE AGREEMENT

Lewis Denied Charges of Bad Faith Over Coal Strike Negotiations—Secretary Green Said Federal Government Should See That Miners Got Sixty Per Cent Increase to Have American Living Standard.

CHICAGO PREPARED FOR SELLING BOOZE

**TWENTY MILLION GALLONS ARE
READY FOR TRANSPORTATION AND RENEWAL OF
LICENSES ASKED.**

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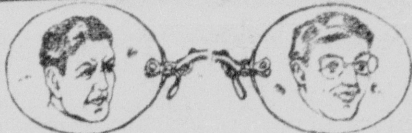
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And every day that production is discontinued means an added time of suffering for those who are dependent on the coal. Vital industries are limited in the supply they receive, while many industries, such as the clothing and woolen goods manufacturers, are without fuel at all, and this means the loss of employment for many thousands.

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The action of the federal court which granted the restraining order and made it permanent will be awaited with interest. It would be strange if this action should result in the arrest of the leaders who are responsible for the action of the auxiliary workers, but it would not be unjust if it were shown that it was part of a deliberate attempt to set at naught the power of the court and make it contemptible in the eyes of the workers.

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While the Mexican government has been declaring that it was doing all in its power to stave off the intervention "which the American government seemed determined to force upon it," at the same time informing the Washington government that the friendship between the two countries was never closer, the agents of the Carranza government were busily engaged in various parts of the world in securing enormous quantities of arms and ammunition.

It thus becomes evident that the talk of friendship towards the United States is a mere blind, and that Mexico—at least, the Carranza government—has been preparing for war. And knowing that the United States has consistently done everything in its power to stave off intervention and to prevent hostilities, the Carranza government has prepared deliberately, realizing that it could force war whenever it chose.

It is probable that the acts of the Carranza government which several times nearly precipitated hostilities were merely for the purpose of testing the attitude of our government,

for they were immediately apologized for when it became apparent that our government was not disposed to accept insult and abuse.

The apologies came because the Mexican government had not succeeded in accumulating sufficient munitions of war. This was due to the wisdom of our government, which was not disposed to permit anything which would place Mexico in a position to attack our country without warrant.

The Carranza government even placed large orders in our own country for rifles and ammunition, trusting to our apparent stupidity to prevent our seeing what was intended. But the sharp and prompt refusal to permit the exportation to Mexico of these munitions must have caused a change of opinion as to our lack of perception.

It now develops—although it was known to our state department for months—that Mexico has been receiving large quantities of arms and ammunition, especially machine guns of a superior make, from Spain, and that the shipment is still continuing.

Ostensibly for the purpose of putting down the rebellion, although a little has been done, that line, even with the increased supply of munitions, the Carranza government, through Candido Aguilar, Carranza's son-in-law, has placed large orders for munitions with the great Belgian factory at Liege, and was in hopes of securing prompt shipment.

But our charge d'affaires at Brussels protested, and the shipment was stopped through the international arms convention that had been adopted by the allied nations. So this particular source of supply is cut off.

Perhaps it was in hopes of getting munitions of war that some of the Mexican government officials have been so insistent upon retaining the friendship of Germany. But the peace treaty expressly stipulates that Germany shall make no more munitions of war, and especially not for exportation.

It seems strange to us that a nation which is bankrupt, without any credit outside of its own boundaries, driven to make forced loans inside its own territory, and lacking everything that cannot be produced with its own resources and industries, can expend enormous sums of money for the purchase of arms that can serve no good purpose.

It seems still more strange that a government which ought to realize that its best friend is just across the border is doing all in its power to alienate the friendship of that country, and is even preparing for war against the country which has done all it can to prevent war.

The enmity for the United States that has been carefully fostered for the past few years is so uncalculated that it arouses a suspicion of the sanity of those engaged in the senseless propaganda.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

Several thousand American prisoners released from German prison camps.

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Army goods a specialty. Offers the public the following:
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At the time I announced the Abner Davis Trustee Plan, thousands of strangers sent me their money. My guarantee was made good. In every case where a refund was requested, it was promptly made. At that time, I was not financially responsible, so far as wealth was concerned. But, my word was as good as the promise of any Bank, Trust Company, or individual on earth.

Today I have in my hands and keeping quite a respectable fortune. I carry quite respectable bank balance, and am conducting a business of considerable proportions.

My word is good;

My promises are good;

My reputation as established is worth more than all this money.

I am not only able now financially to redeem any promise I make, but my guarantee has substantial value behind it.

Now, when I tell you, this Big Idea is soon to be yours; the Big Melon Cutting is soon to come; and, you are to be given a chance to get in at the right time I know you will not fail to act with promptness.

THE FIRST NATIONAL is the name that will be used in carrying out this Big Idea.

The plan is another Abner Davis Idea and it will circle the globe, because it has the merit and no power on earth can hold it back.

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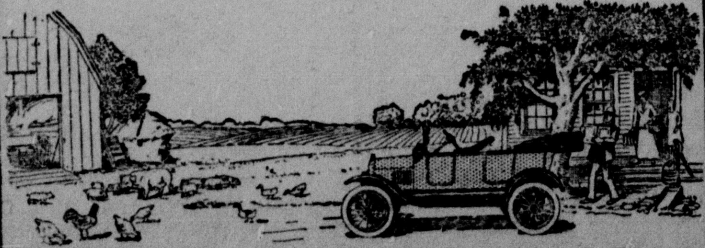
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From Friday's Daily.

A PALPABLE TRICK.

The first trick of the striking miners has been played at Dugnon, Illinois, where a miners' mass meeting caused the local unions of the twentieth district to open out all the auxiliary workers upon whom depend the work of keeping the mines running.

As a result, the striking engineers, firemen, pumpmen and all others who had been permitted to remain at work so as to keep the mines in running order pending the final action of the court on the restraining order have quit work, and as a result the mines in that district could not be operated for several days after it might be decided to return to work.

The miners' union professes to be ignorant as to whether or not this is a violation of the government's injunction, but it is likely they will soon be informed. The trick is so palpable that it does not deceive anyone, and least of all the miners who are told that it is the policy of the officials of their union to obey the court order.

It is believed that the miners in the smaller mining fields will soon return to work, but what action the men will take in the great Pennsylvania and Illinois fields, or in the lesser fields in Indiana and Kansas, is still problematical.

And every day that production is discontinued means an added time of suffering for those who are dependent upon the coal. Vital industries are limited in the supply they receive, while many industries, such as the clothing and wooden goods manufactures, are without fuel at all, and this means the loss of employment for many thousands.

Naturally the strain which will come upon the natural gas supplies of the country will be great, and already one system at the Bluff has collapsed because of a blow out, due to the increased pressure on account of the increased demand resulting from lack of coal.

If the miners union is to resort to such trickery as that reported from Dugnon, there will be little disposition on the part of the operators to meet the employees half way in the conference in Washington. And the government officials will be even less disposed to meet their endeavorers to secure an agreement acceptable to the miners in the face of the attempt to evade the spirit of the court order while observing the mere outward form.

If the miners want to secure the backing of the public, they must show some different attitude toward the public. At present the people as a whole care little whether the miners or the operators win, so long as they are assured at least a part of the fuel they need, and if the miners are determined to fight out the matter despite the court order, making it certain that coal will not be mined for some time to come, then the miners will have alienated the public sympathy which is so necessary to their final success.

What result the auxiliary workers walking out will have on the operators is not yet known, but it probably will strangle them as tending to show a deliberate attempt to prevent production. The operators stand to lose some money through the enforced shut-down, but they will have the people back of them when they declare that their only desire is to produce the needed fuel and to comply with the regulations of the fuel administration.

The action of the federal court which granted the restraining order and made it permanent will be awaited with interest. It would be strange if this action should result in the arrest of the leaders who are responsible for the action of the auxiliary workers, but it would not be unjust if it were shown that it was part of a deliberate attempt to set at naught the power of the court and make it contemptuous in the eyes of the workers.

It may be that the federation of labor will have to answer for some of the responsibility in this case, for some of the crafts included in the latest walk-out do not belong to the miners' union, but are directly under the jurisdiction of their own unions, affiliated with the miners through the federation of labor.

PREPARING FOR WAR.

While the Mexican government has been declaring that it was doing all in its power to stave off the intervention "which the American government seemed determined to force upon it," at the same time informing the Washington government that the friendship between the two countries was never closer, the agents of the Carranza government were busy engaged in various parts of the world in securing enormous quantities of arms and ammunition.

It thus becomes evident that the talk of friendship towards the United States is a mere blind, and that Mexico—at least, the Carranza government—has been preparing for war. And knowing that the United States has consistently done everything in its power to stave off intervention and to prevent hostilities, the Carranza government has prepared deliberately, realizing that it could force war whenever it chose.

It is probable that the acts of the Carranza government which several times nearly precipitated hostilities were merely for the purpose of testing the attitude of our government,

for they were immediately apologized for when it became apparent that our government was not disposed to accept insult and abuse.

The apologies came because the Mexican government had not succeeded in accumulating sufficient quantities of war. This was due to the wisdom of our government, which was not disposed to permit anything which would place Mexico in a position to attack our country without warning.

The Carranza government even placed large orders in our own country for rifles and ammunition, trusting to our apparent stupidity to prevent our seeing what was intended. But the shrewd and prompt refusal to permit the shipment of rifles of these munitions must have caused a change of opinion as to our lack of perception.

It now develops—although it was known to our state department for months—that Mexico has been receiving large quantities of arms and ammunition, especially machine guns of a superior make, from Spain, and that the shipment is still continuing.

Obviously for the purpose of putting down the rebellion, although little has been done in that line, even with the increased supply of munitions, the Carranza government, through Castillo Aguilar, Carranza's son-in-law, has placed large orders for munitions with the great Belgian factory at Liege, and was in hopes of securing prompt shipment.

But our charge d'affaires at Brussels protested, and the shipment was stopped through the international arms convention that has been adopted by the allied nations. So this particular source of supply is cut off.

Perhaps it was in hopes of getting munitions of war that some of the Mexican government officials have been so anxious upon retaining the friendship of Germany. But the peace treaty expressly stipulates that Germany shall make no more munitions of war, and especially not for exportation.

It seems strange to us that a nation which is bankrupt, without any credit outside of its own boundaries, should make forced loans inside its own territory, and lacking everything that cannot be produced with its own resources and industries, can expend enormous sums of money for the purchase of arms that can serve no good purpose.

It seems still more strange that a government which ought to realize that the best friend is just across the border is doing all in its power to alienate the friendship of that country, and is even preparing for war against the country which has done all it can to prevent war.

The attitude for the United States that has been carefully fostered for the past few years is so unaltered for the present that it is a question of the safety of those engaged in the senseless propaganda.

Save your money, Mr. Carranza, and use it to buy bread for the hungry of Mexico. Send your agents over here to buy the necessities of life rather than the instruments of war. Your people have had enough of war, give them a chance to live in peace and security, with the friendship of our country to guarantee against attack from without.

Card of Thanks.

On behalf of Webb County Chapter of the American Red Cross, I wish to extend most thanks to Mrs. Geo. W. Derby and all the ladies associated with her in making the Third Red Cross drive such a success, and to every one who assisted in any way during the campaign, also the good people who took out memberships or renewed their pledges to the worthy organization.

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1819—Gen. Admiral Christopher R. Rodgers, a distinguished officer of the United States Navy, born in Brooklyn, N. Y. Died in Washington, D. C., Jan. 8, 1892.
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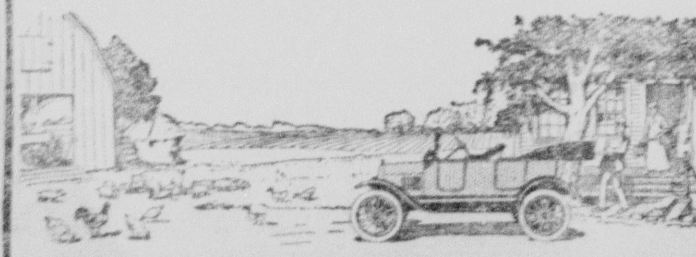
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43 Degrees at 7 This Morning.

The mercury took quite a tumble during the 24 hours from 7 a. m. yesterday to 7 a. m. today, when the maximum temperature recorded yesterday was 71 degrees, and the minimum temperature recorded up to 7 o'clock this morning was 43 degrees, or 11 degrees above freezing. The wind was sharp this morning, and being that it was the first real cold snap of the season it was of that kind that feels penetrating and drives a chill through one exposed to the cold.

While the cool snap was in evidence throughout yesterday, but at no time did the mercury drop below 50 degrees, but last night the northern appeared to gain in force and it gradually became colder during the night, and especially during the early morning hours. This morning at 7 o'clock the thermometer registered 43 degrees, the coldest snap of the winter so far.

However, the cold was not sufficient to do any damage to young onions and other vegetation, while on the other hand it proved beneficial, as now farmers can proceed with the work of preparing their soil for onion transplanting, for no moisture accompanied the cold spell and it was cool and dry.

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BURGLARS ARE BOUND OVER AWAIT ACTION GRAND JURY

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TODAY'S EVENTS.

Ten years ago today occurred the great mine disaster at Cherry, Ill., in which more than 500 men lost their lives.

Charles Courtney, the celebrated coach of the Cornell University crews, will celebrate his 70th birthday today.

Americanization heads the list of topics to be discussed at the annual convention of the National W. C. T. U., which is to open a week's session in St. Louis today.

Seventeen of the larger typewriter and calculating machine companies of the United States have been cited by the Federal Trade Commission to appear in Washington today to answer complaints charging unfair competition.

Important present-day problems, with particular reference to the part that the colored race must bear to their permanent solution, will be discussed by prominent speakers at a readjustment and reconstruction congress which is to meet in Washington today under the auspices of Howard University.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barrocoito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.
10-31-2m.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight fair; freezing temperature interior portion of Texas; probably frost. Friday fair; rising temperature.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 71 degrees.
Min. temp. 43 degrees.
General direction of wind: Northwest.
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EFFORT TO STOP THE MUNITION SHIPMENTS

**AMERICAN CHARGE IN BRUSSELS
PROTESTS AGAINST ARMS
BEING SHIPPED INTO
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By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Efforts are being made by the American government to prevent the shipment of large supplies of arms and ammunition purchased in Europe by the Mexican government. One large order for munitions was placed with the Fabrique Nationale de Arms of Liege, Belgium, and it was learned at the state department that the American charge at Brussels protested against the shipment on the ground that it would be a violation of the international arms convention.

NO AMERICAN WILL ENTER CONFERENCE

**HANDS OFF RUSSIA IS POLICY
OF AMERICAN DELEGATES
CONCERNING CONFER-
ENCE AT DORPAT.**

By Associated Press.
Paris, Nov. 13.—"Hands Off Russia" is clearly the policy of the American delegation to the peace conference. No American will officially participate in the Dorpat conference.

Hold Conference at Tilsitt.
London, Nov. 13.—The interallied commission to the Baltic states at its first sitting at Koenigsberg invited Col. Avaloff, Bermond's chief of staff, and commanders of independent detachments to attend a discussion at Tilsitt. The commission promised the officers safe conducts.

Negotiations Begin Saturday.
Helsinki, Nov. 13.—Peace negotiations between Estonians and the Bolsheviks begin Saturday. The Lithuanians will not participate.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots more inquiry; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 7,000; American 800. Good middling 25.42 (English penny). Middling 23.92. Futures easier. Nov. 23.20-44; Dec. 22.85-23.12; Jan. 22.25-52; March 21.25-57; May 10.66-96.
Close—Firm. Nov. 23.92; Dec. 23.56; Jan. 22.92; March 21.92; May 21.32.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 36.00-35.80; Jan. 35.05-34.95; March 33.80-60; May 32.60-50.
Close—Firm. Dec. 37.45-60; Jan. 36.50-60; March 35.02-10; May 34.05-10.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 36.20-27; Jan. 35.20-30; March 33.87-77; May 32.90-85.
Close—Steady. Dec. 37.75 flat; Jan. 36.35-40; March 35.15-22; May 34.18-22.

Houston.
Spots steady. 50 points up. Middling 41.50. Sales 528. To arrive 1,192.

Galveston.
Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 7,000. F. O. B. 4,225.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children
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Returning in Small Fields.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Bituminous coal miners were expected to return to work in increasing numbers in many of the lesser fields, but what they would do in the great Pennsylvania and Illinois areas and in the Indiana and Kansas mines remained uncertain.

Radicals Threaten Trouble.
Washington, Nov. 13.—The activities of radicals threaten serious trouble in the bituminous coal field of West Virginia, according to reports to the department of justice. Meetings attended and directed by Russians have precipitated some violence.

LOOKING FOR MURDERER.

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, La., Nov. 13.—An order for the arrest of the murderer of Dr. Leopoldo Cordova has been issued and the officers expect to take him shortly at Alexandria, La. Superintendent of Police Mooney announced. The motive was unquestionably robbery. Mr. Mooney said.

CLOTURE FAILED.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Attempt of the Democratic senators to invoke the cloture rule to limit debate on the foreign relations committee's reservations to the peace treaty failed by a vote of 44 to 36. Senators Reed and Shields voting with the Republicans.

JUDGE EVANS HOLDS THE LAW IS INVALID

**GRANTING INJUNCTION AGAINST
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OF LIQUOR BY THE
DISTILLERIES.**

By Associated Press.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—Judge Walter Evans in the federal district court for the second time held today that in effect the wartime prohibition is unconstitutional, sustaining an attack upon the constitutionality of the Volstead enforcement act, granting an injunction restraining Elwood Hamilton, collector of internal revenue for Kentucky, and the district attorney from interfering with the sale by two Louisville distilleries of their "floor stock" of tax-paid whiskey.

WILL NOMINATE PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Determined to make its strength felt in national politics, the year-old Labor party will nominate a candidate for president to return in the coming election.

KILLED AT START.

By Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—Lieut. R. M. Douglas, of the Australian Flying Corps, and Lieut. J. S. L. Ross, his navigator, who started from Hounslow today for Australia, were killed shortly after the start, their plane crashing to the ground.

**ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN
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Allied fleet arrived off Constantinople.
Gen. Pershing presented Marshal Joffre with Distinguished Service Medal.
German submarines arrived at Swedish port and requested to be interned.

MAN LYNCHED KNOWN AS I. W. W. ORGANIZER

**CRIMINAL CHARGES BROUGHT
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By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Nov. 13.—G. I. Rasberry and son Ike, involved in a shooting affray in Henderson county Sunday, were brought to the Dallas county jail today to insure their safety against mob violence.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

In the textile trades in Finland two-thirds of the work is done by women.
About one-eighth of all the women in Italy are engaged in gainful occupations.

In some of the Swedish hotels women are charged half rates, because they eat less than men.

Suffrage for women is included in a proposed reform of the electoral law now under consideration by the Spanish Government.

The British Columbian Government proposes to give a silver cross, hung from a purple ribbon, to every mother in the Province who lost a son in the war.

At a cost of \$100,000 a cotton mills corporation of Danville, Va., has erected a modern hotel, where several hundred of its women employees may live at an expense of \$7.50 a week.

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LEGISLATOR FACES CHARGES.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—Much public interest manifested in the case of Frank Delehanty, a representative in the Ohio legislature from Cleveland, who is to be brought to trial here tomorrow on charges of alleged bribery in connection with the passage of a bill licensing chiropractors. Delehanty was indicted on two charges, that of soliciting a bribe and in connection with the passage of the bill. Announcement has been made that Attorney General Price will assist in the prosecution of the case.

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* Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara complimented a number of friends very delightfully Wednesday afternoon when they entertained them with a beautifully appointed party at the home of the latter. The living room was attractively arranged, yellow and white chrysanthemums, potted plants and ferns being used in decoration, while American Beauty Roses and white chrysanthemums were used in the dining room. In the games of bridge played the high score prize was

awarded Miss Inez Hill, who received a beautiful bungalow lunch set. The second high score fell to Mrs. W. H. Colburn, who was given a card-table cover and napkins. The low score was held by Mrs. Groff of Fort McIntosh, who received an embroidered towel. Consolation, a cut-glass bonbon dish, went to Mrs. J. S. Penn. A delicious two-course luncheon was served. The guests who enjoyed the delightful occasion were: Misses Eva Levi, Frances and Annie Alexander, Inez Hill and Maria Mowry; Mesdames Shelby, A. Wormser, Gumpert, Joseph, Mims, Jefferies, Hill, Brennan, Moyer of San Antonio, Black, Buck of San Antonio, R. L. Muller, Penn, Sauvignat, Daiches, Biggio, Lusk, Walker, Groff, Mally, Barlow, Christen, Cogley, Hall, Colburn, A. R. Smith, Greer, Foster, Witting, Fish, O'Meara, Echols, Hamlin, Gilbreath, Copeland and McElroy of San Antonio. Mrs. Morrow and Mrs. DaCamara were charmingly assisted by Mrs. Albert Otter and Mrs. Hamlin in entertaining their guests.

Parish Guild.

The members of the Parish Guild held a very delightful meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of their president, Mrs. H. W. Johnston. After a business session, during which a committee of two—Mrs. Younkin and Mrs. Kehl—were appointed to attend the meeting of the Associated Charities at the Chamber of Commerce on Friday afternoon, relative to Tag Day for that organization, and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Mason were appointed to solicit contributions of pies, cakes, bread, etc., for the Thanksgiving Sale, a delightfully informal reception was given for Rev. Chas. W. Cook, who has just returned from Detroit. Delicious sandwiches, cakes, coffee and tea were served. Mrs. Woodman poured tea and Mrs. MacGregor served coffee. Mr. Cook closed the meeting with a short talk. He thanked the people for sending him to the convention, and said what a great thing it was for him to meet these wonderful men and hear their remarks. He also spoke on different points relative to the convention, specializing on the part the women took and their splendid united offering. At the next convention the women delegates will be recognized as the "house of church women." He also made special mention of Cardinal Mercier's visit to the house of deputies. The bishops and all the women delegates and many others were present to greet Cardinal Mercier, "the hero priest of Belgium." He was accorded a wonderful and enthusiastic greeting and he responded with a short address, in which he spoke of America's friendship for Belgium, and what it meant to the Belgian people. Mr. Cook brings back many things of interest and moment to his people. Those enjoying the meeting yesterday besides Mr. Cook were: Mesdames Arthur, Adams, Anderson, Browster, Cook, Denike, Kuhl, Lines, Mason, MacGregor, Mims, Puster, Shahady, Young, Younkin, Woodman, Bush and Miss Amar Penn.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Ten years ago today occurred the great mine disaster at Cherry, Ill., in which more than 500 men lost their lives.

Charles Courtney, the celebrated coach of the Cornell University crews, will celebrate his 70th birthday today.

Americanization heads the list of topics to be discussed at the annual convention of the National W. C. T. U., which is to open a week's session in St. Louis today.

Seventeen of the larger typewriter and calculating machine companies of the United States have been cited by the Federal Trade Commission to appear in Washington today to answer complaints charging unfair competition.

Important present-day problems, with particular reference to the part that the colored race must bear to their permanent solution, will be discussed by prominent speakers at a congress and reconstruction congress which is to meet in Washington today under the auspices of Howard University.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight fair; freezing temperature interior portion of Texas; probably frost Friday fair; rising temperature.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 71 degs.

Min. temp. 43 degs.

General direction of wind: North-west.

Clear.

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EFFORT TO STOP THE MUNITION SHIPMENTS

AMERICAN CHARGE IN BRUSSELS

PROTESTS AGAINST ARMS

BEING SHIPPED INTO

MEXICO.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Efforts are being made by the American government to prevent the shipment of large supplies of arms and ammunition purchased in Europe by the Mexican government. One large order for munitions was placed with the Fabrique Nationale de Armes of Liege, Belgium, and it was learned at the state department that the American charge at Brussels protested against the shipment on the ground that it would be a violation of the international arms convention.

NO AMERICAN WILL ENTER CONFERENCE

HANDS OFF RUSSIA IS POLICY

OF AMERICAN DELEGATES

CONCERNING CONFER-

ENCE AT DORPAT.

By Associated Press.

Paris, Nov. 13.—"Hands Off Russia" is clearly the policy of the American delegation to the peace conference. No American will officially participate in the Dorpat conference.

Hold Conference at Tilsitt.

London, Nov. 13.—The interallied commission to the Baltic states at its first sitting at Koenigsberg invited Col. Avaloff, Bermond's chief of staff, and commanders of independent detachments to attend a discussion at Tilsitt. The commission promised the officers safe conducts.

Negotiations Begin Saturday.

Helsingfors, Nov. 13.—Peace negotiations between Estonians and the Bolsheviks begin Saturday. The Lithuanians will not participate.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots more inquiry; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 7,000; American 800. Good middling 25.42 (English penny). Middling 23.92. Futures easier. Nov. 23.20-44; Dec. 22.85-23.12; Jan. 22.55-52; March 21.55-57; May 10.66-96.
Close—Firm. Nov. 23.92; Dec. 23.56; Jan. 22.92; March 21.92; May 21.32.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 36.99-35.80; Jan. 35.95-34.55; March 33.80-60; May 32.60-50.
Close—Firm. Dec. 37.45-60; Jan. 36.50-60; March 35.92-19; May 34.95-10.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 36.20-27; Jan. 35.20-30; March 33.87-77; May 32.90-85.
Close—Steady. Dec. 37.75 flat; Jan. 36.35-40; March 35.15-22; May 34.18-22.

Houston.
Spots steady, 50 points up. Middling 41.50. Sales 528. To arrive 1,192.

Galveston.
Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 7000. F. O. B. 4,225.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children

Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Redon, Ga., phoned to J. M. Floyd, the merchant there, for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said she had bought a bottle of it at the store recently and that it was doing her children so much good that she wanted to keep up the treatment. You will find nothing better for coughs and colds in children or for yourself. It keeps the cough loose, expectoration easy and soon frees the system from the cold.

By Associated Press.

Duquoin, Ill., Nov. 13.—Complying with an order issued by the local union of miners following a mass meeting, all the hoisting engineers, firemen, pumpmen, mule feeders and other union men who had been permitted to keep the mines of the Twelfth district in running order left their posts. Whether this is a violation of the injunction granted the government is not generally known among the operators and miners, owing to the fact that the call was made at a mass meeting.

Returning in Small Fields.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Bituminous coal miners were expected to return to work in increasing numbers in many of the lesser fields, but what they would do in the great Pennsylvania and Illinois areas and in the Indiana and Kansas mines remained uncertain.

Radicals Threaten Trouble.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The activities of radicals threaten serious trouble in the bituminous coal field of West Virginia, according to reports to the department of justice. Meetings attended and directed by Russians have precipitated some violence.

LOOKING FOR MURDERER.

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, La., Nov. 13.—An order for the arrest of the murderer of Dr. Leopoldo Cordova has been issued and the officers expect to take him shortly at Alexandria, La., Superintendent of Police Mooney announced. The motive was unquestionably robbery, Mr. Mooney said.

CLOTURE FAILED.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Nov. 13.—Attempt of the Democratic senators to invoke the cloture rule to limit debate on the foreign relations committee's reservations to the peace treaty failed by a vote of 44 to 36. Senators Reed and Shields voting with the Republicans.

JUDGE EVANS HOLDS

THE LAW IS INVALID

GRANTING INJUNCTION AGAINST

INTERFERING WITH SALE

OF LIQUOR BY THE

DISTILLERIES.

By Associated Press.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 13.—Judge Walter Evans in the federal district court for the second time held today that in effect the wartime prohibition is unconstitutional, sustaining an attack upon the constitutionality of the Volstead enforcement act, granting an injunction restraining Elwood Hamilton, collector of internal revenue for Kentucky, and the district attorney from interfering with the sale by two Louisville distilleries of their "floor stock" of tax-paid whiskey.

WILL NOMINATE PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Determined to make its strength felt in national politics, the year-old Labor party will nominate a candidate for president to return in the coming election.

KILLED AT START.

By Associated Press.
London, Nov. 13.—Lieut. R. M. Douglas, of the Australian Flying Corps, and Lieut. J. S. L. Ross, his navigator, who started from Hounslow today for Australia, were killed shortly after the start, their plane crashing to the ground.

LEGISLATOR FACES CHARGES.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—Much public interest manifested in the case of Frank Delehanty, a representative in the Ohio legislature from Cleveland, who is to be brought to trial here tomorrow on charges of alleged bribery in connection with the passage of a bill licensing chiropractors. Delehanty was indicted on two charges, that of soliciting a bribe and in connection with the passage of the bill. Announcement has been made that Attorney General Price will assist in the prosecution of the case.

MAN LYNCHED KNOWN AS I. W. W. ORGANIZER

CRIMINAL CHARGES BROUGHT

AGAINST TWENTY-SIX

MEN FOR TUESDAY'S

MURDERS.

By Associated Press.

Centuria, Wash., Nov. 13.—The man lynched Tuesday night has been identified as Ernest Everett by the landlady of the rooming house where he lived for several months. He was working as an organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World. Criminal informations against 26 alleged members of the I. W. W. have been prepared, alleging either participation in or criminal knowledge of the killing Tuesday of four members of the American Legion in the Armistice parade.

ARKANSAS CITIES FACE LACK OF FUEL

GAS MAINS BLEW OUT, THERE

IS NO COAL IN THE LOCAL

YARDS AND WOOD

IS SCARCE.

By Associated Press.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Nov. 13.—Simultaneously with the first cold wave, bringing the temperature below freezing, the mains supplying gas to Pine Bluff and half a dozen other Arkansas cities were put out of service by a blow out. Industrial plants are cut off and the domestic supply is expected to fail late today. Not a ton of coal is in the local fuel yards and wood is scarce.

FEARED MOB VIOLENCE.

By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Nov. 13.—G. I. Raspberry and son Ike, involved in a shooting affray in Henderson county Sunday, were brought to the Dallas county jail today to insure their safety against mob violence.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

In the textile trades in Finland two-thirds of the work is done by women.

About one-eighth of all the women in Italy are engaged in gainful occupations.

In some of the Swedish hotels women are charged half rates, because they eat less than men.

Suffrage for women is included in a proposed reform of the electoral law now under consideration by the Spanish Government.

The British Columbian Government proposes to give a silver cross, hung from a

From Wednesday's Daily.

THE ARMISTICE.

The anniversary of the day which really gave pause to the world war has passed and the people are more facing the other problems, compared with which the war is at present of little interest. Even the matter of the peace treaty now occasions little comment, and it is probable that when the senate finally ratifies the treaty the people will be much more interested in other affairs.

We have hardly as yet comprehended what the celebration of Armistice Day should really mean to us. In future days it may be that day will become a day of sport and of prize fighting, just as Thanksgiving Day and Decoration Day and even our own Independence Day have become.

But the war is still close to us. Even yet many of our soldiers are on foreign soil, the peace treaty has not been ratified by our government, the returned soldiers are hardly yet accustomed to civil life and those who have lost sons or brothers are still acutely feeling the sorrow which the bereavement brought them.

The day is one for solemn rejoicing, and more to the United States than to other nations does its celebration appeal as something for which we were directly responsible. For there is no doubt that the entrance of our country into the world war shortened the period of strife by many months, if indeed it did not finally give victory to a cause that was almost hopeless.

We have a right to celebrate Armistice Day, for up to a few weeks before the entrance of our men into the actual hostilities the allies had been beaten back and were able to hold their lines only by the most heroic resistance to a foe flushed with conquest.

But from the moment our forces began fighting there was a change in the situation. The victories of the Americans were constant, and there never was a moment when our men had any doubt of the outcome of the struggle. Even the Germans themselves became disheartened when they saw the magnificent fighting of the American troops.

We should not attempt to belittle the work of the other allies. Our victories came to us because our troops were fresh, because the addition of so many fresh troops turned the battle tide by sheer force of numbers.

But while our men were dissatisfied because they had no further chance to prove their valor, the home folks were content that the defeated Germans recognized their situation and asked for an armistice. There was even doubt at the time whether the Germans would not take advantage of the breathing spell and resume hostilities.

The years to come will make of the day just passed a holiday that will serve to keep alive the memories of the sacrifices made, of the heroism shown, both by the troops and by their kinfolk at home, and of the debt we paid to our brothers in arms in Europe.

It will always be a reason for Americans in every part of the world to remember what the world owes to us, as well as the debt we owe to the other nations.

It will serve to foster the friendships made in the stress of war times and to keep our own soldiers from an ingrowing patriotism. It will remind those who took part in the war, whether at home or abroad, of the days when our country stretched forth a helping hand to the world and did more than any other nation in the final days to bring about peace.

It should be a day that tends to end political chicanery in our national legislature and causes all parties to unite on one thing: The honor and the glory of the United States of America, that detracts from no other country and asks nothing which is not its own.

We have a day when we decorate the graves of our departed soldiers. On Armistice Day we should remember the living, and do all in our power to honor those who fought to preserve the liberties of their own country and to extend to all others the right hand of fellowship, excepting only those unworthy to touch our hand until theirs have been washed.

THE I. W. W.

The report coming from the state of Washington of I. W. W. firing on the Armistice Day parade of former soldiers indicates that this menace to our country must be disposed of before we shall have any promise of security.

The I. W. W. have been strong in the Northwest. They have united in burning wheat fields and farm machinery, they have dominated elections in some of the smaller towns, they have even ordered certain people obnoxious to them to leave town.

But when the sedition law went into effect, it enabled the people of Washington and other neighboring states to better control the situation. And even then the I. W. W. were not disposed of; they were only keeping under cover.

So yesterday, when the Armistice Day parade was going on, the I. W. W. deliberately fired from their building, killing two former soldiers and wounding several others.

It is not surprising that the people of the town afterward rushed the jail, took out one of the criminals and lynched him. It is deplorable that such a thing was necessary, and

that perhaps the only way in which the people of that section can punish violators of the law is through another law violation.

But the people of Centralia will have learned their lesson. If any member of the I. W. W. remains in that town or the immediate neighborhood after this present affair is ended, it will be his own fault if he meets with trouble.

It is urged that a man has a right to his own political belief. But belief in the I. W. W. doctrine is not a political belief. It is based on criminality and cannot live without violence and outrage. The tenets of the I. W. W. are opposed to all law and order and government of any sort. The men who are directing the campaign of the I. W. W. lapse as readily into crimes of violence as any wild savage, and with less incentive.

The sight of the American flag or its defenders is like a red rag to a bull. They immediately proceed to attack—that is, if they think they are in superior numbers.

But they made a grave mistake in Centralia. No matter how overwhelming the numbers against them, Americans will never submit tamely to an attack on their flag or their uniform, especially on their own soil.

Mob violence is always to be deplored. But in this case, it was mob violence against mob violence. The I. W. W. had made an unwarranted, vicious attack on peaceable citizens engaged in celebrating a national holiday, and had killed two men who had rendered military service to their country.

It may be that the men who did the killing would have been given a fair and impartial trial, with the resultant punishment for their grave offense. But the people of Centralia were enraged at the senseless outrage of the I. W. W. mob. They determined to avenge the death of their fellow citizens, whose only offense against the I. W. W. was that they were loyal patriots wearing the uniform of their country's defenders, and the murderer was taken from the jail and hanged.

It may be that the act of the Centralia people will put an end to further I. W. W. propaganda in that section. At least, it will have the salutary effect of preventing further outrages like that of Armistice Day, and hereafter, if the I. W. W. want to commit any more murders they will do so secretly and not flaunt their murderous disloyalty in the face of American citizens.

The one pity is that the mob, while violating the law, did not make their crime complete, instead of singling out an individual. As well be hung for a sheep as a lamb, said the old proverb, and the other "Wobblies" were no doubt as guilty as the one who suffered the penalty.

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IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 12.

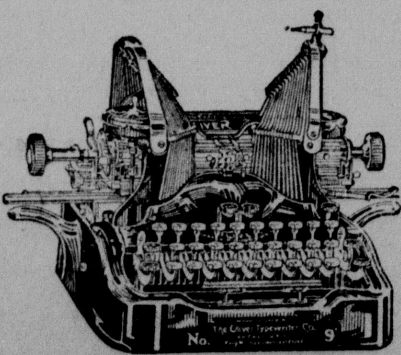
Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, who is to be inaugurated today as president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., an institution for the education of the negro, is a native of Carleton, Nova Scotia, who was educated at Bates College and at Boston University. His early years of active life in the world of men were spent in the ministerial ranks of the Free Baptist denomination and with churches in Maine and other parts of New England. In 1890 he joined the Congregational denomination and for some years has been living and preaching in Brockton, Mass. Howard University, which is one of the largest and best-known institutions of its kind in the country, was founded by New Englanders and most, if not all, of its presidents have been of the Congregational denomination.

On a tiny island in the Japan Sea, near Nagasaki, is a most extraordinary coal mine. The surface of the island is only sufficient for the shafts and hoisting machinery, and the tunnels extend for various directions under the sea.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 12.

Official announcement of the abdication of Emperor Charles of Austria. Socialist Government in Berlin proceeded toward full control.

This Means Rou.

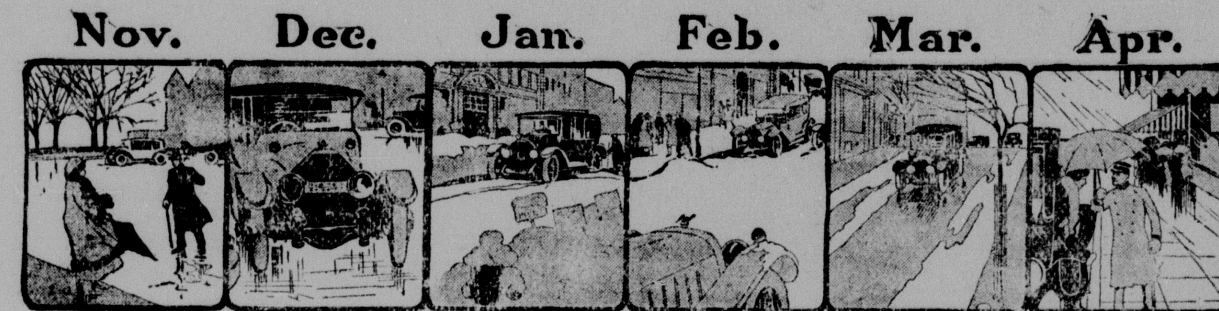
When you get up with a bad taste in your mouth, a dull tired feeling, no relish for food and are constipated, you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only cause an agreeable movement of the bowels, but cleanse and invigorate the stomach and improve the digestion.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 12.

Rt. Hon. Thomas Burt, the first laboring man ever entered the British parliament, born 82 years ago today. William Collier, a celebrated comedian of the American stage, born in New York City, 51 years ago today. Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Strong, U. S. A., who reaches the retiring age today, born at Paw, Mich., 64 years ago today. Cecil Chesterton, noted English author, editor and critic, born in Kensington, 40 years ago today.

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31x4	37.30			5.20	6.50
32x4	37.95	54.45	49.05	5.25	6.55
33x4	40.05	56.60	50.45	5.50	6.90
34x4	40.85	57.40	51.65	5.65	7.05
32x4 1/2	52.75	61.35	53.75	6.80	8.50
33x4 1/2	54.90	63.00	55.20	6.95	8.70
34x4 1/2	55.35	64.65	58.20	7.00	8.75
35x4 1/2	57.60	66.15	59.60	7.10	8.90
36x4 1/2	58.20	67.80	61.00	7.30	9.15
33x5	67.40	76.60	68.95	8.05	10.05
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TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 12.

1785—Gen. Robert Howe, first among the Revolutionary leaders of North Carolina, died. Born at Brunswick, N. C., in 1732.
1832—Henry Eckford, the great American naval architect in the war of 1812, died in Constantinople. Born in Scotland, March 12, 1775.
1856—The Grand Trunk railroad, 850 miles long, was opened from Quebec to Toronto.
1839—Fire in Lynn, Mass., burned over 80 acres and entailed a property loss of \$5,000,000.
1894—John A. McCaull, noted opera manager, died at Greensboro, N. C. Born in Scotland in 1846.
1912—Premier Canalejas of Spain was assassinated by an anarchist.
1914—The Germans were forced back of the Yser.
1915—England reiterated peace terms, including freedom and indemnity for Belgium and destruction of Prussian military domination.
1916—Austro-Germans broke through the Russian lines in the Halicz section.
1917—Lloyd George made speech in Paris urging unity of command.

FILIBUSTER CASES CALLED; DEFENDANTS PLEAD GUILTY

Gen. Mendoza and Nemesio Garcia Naranjo Plead Guilty, Alfredo Gayon Not Present; Other Business.

Federal court is still busily engaged in the transaction of business coming before it and will probably finish its work by Friday afternoon. The following business was transacted in the court yesterday:

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There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

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THANKSGIVING DAY NEAR; TURKEYS ARE OUT OF SIGHT

Soldiers Are Preparing to Observe the Day With Usual Big Thanksgiving Dinner at Ft. McIntosh.

Two weeks from tomorrow, November 27, will be Thanksgiving Day, an occasion that will be celebrated throughout the civilized world this year in a more sincere manner than ever before, for the world war is over and the world is back to peace conditions, though perturbed by strike and other disturbances, which are only minor matters compared to the great conflict that had raged.

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From Wednesday's Daily.

THE ARMISTICE.

The anniversary of the day which really gave peace to the world has passed and the people are more feeling the other problems, compared with which the war is at present of little interest. Even the matter of the peace treaty now sometimes little comment, and it is probable that when the senate finally ratifies the treaty the people will be much more interested in other affairs.

We have hardly as yet comprehended what the celebration of Armistice Day should really mean to us. In future days it may be that day will become a day of sport and of prize fighting, just as Thanksgiving Day and Decoration Day and even our own Independence Day have become.

But the war is still close to us. Even yet many of our soldiers are on foreign soil, the peace treaty has not been ratified by our government, the returned soldiers are hardly yet accustomed to civil life and those who have lost some or brothers are still anxiously looking for the news which the homecoming brought them.

The day is one for solemn rejoicing, and more to the United States than to other nations. For the celebration is a day of thanksgiving for which we were directly responsible. For there is no doubt that the entrance of our country into the world war shortened the period of strife by many months, if indeed it did not finally give victory to a cause that was almost hopeless.

We have a right to celebrate Armistice Day, for up to a few weeks before the entrance of our men into the actual hostilities the allies had been beaten back and were able to hold their lines only by the most heroic resistance to a foe flushed with conquest.

But from the moment our forces began fighting there was a change in the situation. The victories of the Americans were constant, and there never was a moment when our men had any doubt of the outcome of the struggle. Even the Germans themselves became disheartened when they saw the magnificent fighting of the American troops.

We should not attempt to belittle the work of the other allies. Our victories came to us because our troops were fresh, because the addition of so many fresh troops turned the battle tide by sheer force of numbers.

But while our men were demoralized because they had no further chance to prove their valor, the home folks were content that the defeated Germans recognized their situation and asked for an armistice. There was no doubt at the time whether the Germans would not take advantage of the breathing spell and resume hostilities.

The years to come will make of the day just passed a holiday that will serve to keep alive the memories of the sacrifices made, of the heroism shown, both by the troops and by their kinfolk at home, and of the debt we paid to our brothers in arms in Europe.

It will always be a reason for Americans in every part of the world to remember what the world owes to us, as well as the debt we owe to the other nations.

It will serve to foster the friendships made in the stress of war times and to keep our own soldiers from an improving patriotism. It will remind those who took part in the war, whether of home or abroad, of the days when our country stretched forth a helping hand to the world and did more than any other nation in the final days to bring about peace.

It should be a day that tends to end political chicaneery in our national legislature and causes all parties to unite on one thing. The honor and the glory of the United States of America, that detracts from no other country and asks nothing which is not its own.

We have a day when we decorate the graves of our departed soldiers. On Armistice Day we should remember the living and do all in our power to honor those who fought to preserve the liberties of their own country and to extend to all others the right hand of fellowship, stopping only those unworthy to touch our hand until their hands have been washed.

THE I. W. W.

The report coming from the state of Washington of I. W. W. firing on the Armistice Day parade of former soldiers indicates that this menace to our country must be disposed of before we shall have any promise of security.

The I. W. W. have been strong in the Northwest. They have united in burning wheat fields and farm machinery, they have dominated elections in some of the smaller towns, they have even ordered certain people obnoxious to them to leave town.

But when the addition law went into effect, it enabled the people of Washington and other neighboring states to better control the situation. And even then the I. W. W. were not disposed of, they were only kept under cover.

So yesterday, when the Armistice Day parade was going on, the I. W. W. deliberately fired from their building, killing two former soldiers and wounding several others.

It is not surprising that the people of the town of one of the criminals and lynched him. It is deplorable that such a thing was necessary, and

that perhaps the only way in which the people of that section can punish violators of the law is through another law violation.

But the people of Centralia will have learned their lesson. If any member of the I. W. W. remains in that town or the immediate neighborhood after this present affair is ended, it will be his own fault if he meets with trouble.

It is urged that a man has a right to his own political belief. But behind the I. W. W. doctrine is not a political belief. It is based on criminality and cannot be based on criminality and cannot be based on criminality. The tenets of the I. W. W. are opposed to all law and order and government of any sort. The men who are directing the campaign of the I. W. W. against the country are ready to use violence as any wild savage, and with less incentive.

The sign of the American flag or the defenders in like a red rag to a bull. They immediately proceed to attack—that is, if they think they are in superior numbers.

But they made a grave mistake in Centralia. No matter how overwhelming the numbers against them, Americans will never submit tamely to an attack on their flag or their uniform, especially on their own soil.

Non-violence is always to be deplored. But in this case, it was non-violence against non-violence. The I. W. W. had made an unwarranted, vicious attack on peaceable citizens engaged in celebrating a national holiday, and had killed two men who had rendered military service to their country.

It may be that the men who did the killing would have been given a fair and impartial trial, with the result that the punishment for their grave offense. But the people of Centralia were outraged at the senseless outrage of the I. W. W. mob. They determined to avenge the death of their fellow citizens, whose only offense against the I. W. W. was that they were loyal patriots wearing the uniform of their country's defenders, and the murderer was taken from the jail and hanged.

It may be that the act of the Centralia people will put an end to further I. W. W. propaganda in that section. At least, it will have the salutary effect of preventing further outrages like that of Armistice Day, and hereafter, if the I. W. W. want to commit any more murders they will do so secretly and not flaunt their murderous disloyalty in the face of American citizens.

The one pity is that the mob, while violating the law, did not make their crime complete, instead of singling out an individual. As well be hanging for a sheep as a lamb, and the mob, were to do as guilty as the man who suffered the penalty.

Notice to Hunters. Ammen existing conditions hunting in Jarrell, Barrochito, Barrochito, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no hunters be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.

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IN THE DAYS NEWS.

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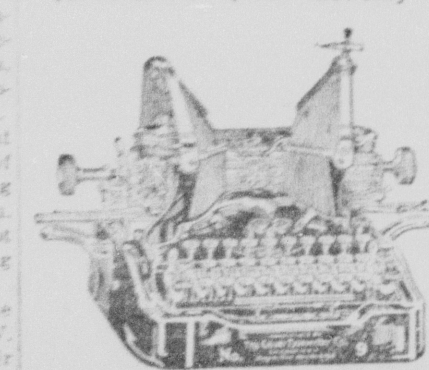
Dr. J. Stanley Larkin, who is to be inaugurated today as president of Howard University, Washington, D. C., an institution for the education of the negro, is a native of Carlisle, Nova Scotia, who was educated at Bates College and at Boston University. His early years of active life in the world of men were spent in the ministerial ranks of the Free Baptist denomination and with churches in Maine and other parts of New England. In 1899 he joined the Congregational denomination and for some years has been living and preaching in Brockton, Mass. How- and University, which is one of the largest and best known institutions of its kind in the country, was founded by New Englanders and most, if not all, of its presidents have been of the Congregational denomination.

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Nov. 12. Thomas Barr, the first laboring man ever entered the British parliament, born 82 years ago today. William Collier, a celebrated comedian of the American stage, born in New York City, 51 years ago today. Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Spring, U. S. A., who reaches the retiring age today, born at Paw, Mich., 54 years ago today.

Oswell Chesterston, noted English author, editor and critic, born in Kensington, 49 years ago today.

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Chairman Third Red Cross.

The committee desires to extend its most hearty thanks to the chairman of the various committees, to those who assisted in the drive, to the merchants and to the press of the city for assistance in making this latest drive a success.

NEBLETT WINS CIVIL SUIT AGAINST FORMER PARTNER

After Five Days Trial Before Jury in District Court Here, Neblett Gets Judgment for Sum of \$1,625.

After occupying the time of the district court here for five days, or from last Thursday morning up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the arguments were completed, the case of Neblett vs. O'Meara, suit for partition of the funds of the partnership formerly existing between these two attorneys, which was dissolved some months ago, went to the jury yesterday afternoon.

The plaintiff in the suit was represented by himself, O. L. Bobbitt and W. C. Stacks, while O'Meara was represented by himself and John L. Danahy, after being out a short time the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, Neblett, for the sum of \$1,625.

FOR ITCHING TORTURE

Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with Zemo, which generally overcomes skin diseases. Eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and durable. It costs only 35c an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

THANKSGIVING DAY HERE; TURKEYS ARE OUT OF SIGHT

Soldiers Are Preparing to Observe the Day With Usual Big Thanksgiving Dinner at Ft. McIntosh.

Two weeks from tomorrow, November 27, will be Thanksgiving Day, an occasion that will be celebrated throughout the civilized world this year in a more sincere manner than ever before, for the world war is over and the world is back to peace conditions, though perturbed by strike and other disturbances, which are only minor matters compared to the great conflict that had raged.

On Thanksgiving Day it is the custom for nearly every household to have its supply of turkey on the family board that day, but the prices of turkeys have ranged to such high prices that many will this year forego the luxury. While no announcement has yet been made of the usual football game on Thanksgiving Day, it is probable that there will be a game here at Fort McIntosh, where the soldiers of the Thirty-seventh Infantry will have their company Thanksgiving dinner on that day and the national bird will be a conspicuous part of their meals. After the soldier boys get their fill of turkey on Thanksgiving Day they generally remember the poor, who rather than get something to eat from Uncle Sam's bighearted soldier boys,

WOMEN! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS!

You who tire easily, are pale, haggard and worn, nervous or irritable, who are subject to fits of melancholy or the "blues," get your blood examined for iron deficiency.

Exhausted from taken three times a day after meals will increase your strength and endurance in two weeks' time in many cases. Ferdinand King M.D.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 60c per month.

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In the series of games of bridge played the club prize, a creamer and sugar in etched glass, was won by Mrs. John M. Martin. The guest prize, a set of cups and saucers, went to Miss Maria Mowry. The hostess prize, a set of cups and saucers, went to Miss Maria Mowry. The hostess served delicious enchiladas and coffee and a sweet course after the games. Those enjoying the pleasure of the occasion were: Club members—Mesdames Joe Moser, E. J. Foster, T. A. Leyendecker, J. C. Martin, John M. Martin, C. C. Jefferies, E. H. Sauvignat and L. A. Lafon; guests—Misses Eva Levi, Frances and Annie Alexander and Maria Mowry; Mesdames Gumpert, Wormser, Joseph, Hill and George Moyer of San Antonio.

Is Life Worth Living?

Is life worth living? It depends on your believing. If it ends with this short span, Then is man no better than The beasts that perish.

But a loftier hope we cherish "Life out of Death" is written wide Across Life's page on every side.

We can not think as ended our dear dead who died.

What room is left us then for doubt or fear?

Love laughs at thought and ending—there, or here.

God would lack meaning if this world were all.

And this short life but one long funeral.

God is! Christ loves! Christ lives! And by His Own Returning gives Sure pledge of Immortality.

The first-fruits—He; and we—The harvest of His victory.

The life beyond shall this life far transcend.

And Death is the Beginning—not the End!

—John Oxenham in "All's Well."

George H. Doran Co., New York.

General Mention.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert T. Cook arrived in the city yesterday from Dolores. Dr. Cook left last night for his home in Manor, while Mrs. Cook returned this morning to Dolores for a longer visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Davis.

Mrs. S. S. Wilcox after spending a few days in San Antonio visiting relatives and friends will return home tomorrow. She will be accompanied by her brother, Mr. F. W. Jones.

Mr. J. B. DaCamara returned from San Antonio yesterday, and Mrs. DaCamara went on to Pleasanton to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Laro.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and children returned Saturday from San Antonio.

Mrs. Hal Greer returned Sunday from a visit to several points in the state. She enjoyed attending the convention of the Y. W. C. A. in Dallas, where she went as a delegate from Laredo.

Mrs. C. Dubose returned to her home in San Antonio yesterday morning, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. R. L. Woodul.

Mrs. S. N. Johnston returned Saturday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mr. R. L. Woodul returned yesterday morning from a trip to Kansas City, Whiting, Kansas, and Fort Smith, Arkansas, where he visited his mother, Mrs. A. L. Woodul, who accompanied him home for an extended visit.

Mrs. J. A. Dickey, who has been spending a few days in San Antonio, is expected home on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat and little daughter expect to leave Friday for San Antonio to hear the Vatican Choir. They will be joined there by their son, Victor Sauvignat, from Austin.

Mrs. Herring and children of Idaho are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. F. W. Shanks, and sister, Mrs. W. L. Barr.

Miss Nancy McDaniel of Illinois is in the city visiting her brother, Mr. Charles McDaniel.

Announcements.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton will entertain Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at auction bridge, complimenting a number of friends.

Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a business meeting at the church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. K. Thompson conducted the meeting. Two new

members were taken in. Those present were: Mesdames Lampman, Shanks, J. W. Ward, Barr, Briant, Miller, J. K. Thompson, A. G. Thompson, Burroughs, Crawford and Guinn.

UNITED FILARMONICA GIVES ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT

Local Musician Union Celebrates Its First Anniversary With Program at Market Hall.

The Laredo Union de Filarmónicos will give a musical-literary program tonight at Market Hall in celebration of their first anniversary. The program follows:

Overture, "Pique Dame," Orquesta "Reforma"

Reading of the Constitution and report of work done during the year By Secretary

Official Address, Sr. Guillermo Aguirre y Fierro

Music, Orquesta

Recitation, Little Miss Raquel Varela

Music, Address by Master Cristobal M. Bel-derrain of Instituto Dominguez.

INTERMISSION.

Selection from Massenet's opera "Manon," by Strand Orchestra, member of the Union, under direction of Honorary Member, Prof. J. M. del Villar.

Installation of new Board of Directors. Dance, "Un Beso entre las Sombras," Escalch, violin duo with piano accompaniment, by Members Eusebio Lazcano, Enrique Arechiga and Prof. Villar.

Poem, Lic. Rafael Trujillo

Napoleonic Scenes from Massenet; (a) La Danse; (b) La Fete; Strand Orchestra.

IN EVENING ATTIRE.

Young Gazip—There goes Mrs. Lastword. They say every cent her husband makes she puts on her back.

Old Progle—Poor fellow! He must have been out of work when that gown was made.

BAPTIST WOMEN TO RAISE \$15,000,000

FIFTH OF SUM SOUGHT IN FIVE-YEAR PROGRAM WILL COME FROM THEM.

ARE DOING A LARGE WORK

Hospitals, Mountain Schools, Good Will Centers and Church Building Funds Maintained by Them in Addition to Regular Gifts.



MISS KATHLEEN MALLORY, Corresponding Secretary, W. M. U., Baltimore.

Evidencing the larger sphere which women have come to occupy in church life, as well as other activities, when the Baptist 75 Million Campaign was decided upon at the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta last May, the women, through their regular organization, the Woman's Missionary Union, at one agreed to be responsible for one-fifth of the sum sought, or \$15,000,000. This means that the Baptist women of the South will raise for missions of all kinds, Christian education and benevolences, the sum of \$3,000,000 a year for the next five years, in addition to their contributions to local enterprises and special work.

Through the channels of the Woman's Missionary Union, with headquarters at Baltimore, Md., the Baptist women of the South have since their organization contributed more than \$5,000,000 in cash to various denominational purposes. With the addition of boxes of food and clothing sent to orphanages and other benevolent institutions, the total of their contributions through this channel has reached \$5,710,433.71.

Miss Kathleen Mallory is the corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union, and in appreciation of the service she has rendered in that connection the Baptist women of Alabama have established the Kathleen Mallory Hospital for Women at Laidlaw-Fu, Shantung, China. Miss Mallory being a native of Alabama.

Women of many of the other states have also undertaken special enterprises of their own. Those of Georgia, for instance, established the Ayers Hospital for Women at Hwanghien, China, a girls' school at Tumanoto, Japan, the Catherine Bryan Kindergarten School at Canton, China, and the Mary P. Willingham School for Girls at Blue Ridge, Ga., a school designed especially for the education of girls in the mountainous section of that state.

Many of the other state unions have special projects such as Good Will Centers in the tenement, factory and mining districts, where effort is made to bring more sunshine and enlightenment and love into the home and lives of needy families, especially those of foreign birth; church building funds, scholarships for young women who want to obtain training for special Christian service, and similar undertakings.

The general W. M. U., representing all the women of the Southern Baptist Convention, owns and operates the Women's Training School at Louisville, Ky., which has already sent out 700 trained women for special service in all parts of the world; and has established the Margaret Fund for the education in the Baptist schools of the South the sons and daughters of missionaries on the foreign fields, and the Fannie E. S. Heck Memorial, a church building fund established in honor of one of the greatest leaders Southern Baptist women have known.

But money for the support of these institutions as well as that for the payment of the women's pledge of \$15,000,000 in the 75 Million Campaign will be raised by the actual work of the women and through economy and sacrifice. Church fairs, bazaars, suppers, ice cream socials and the like are frowned upon by the organized Baptist women of the South as unworthy means for raising funds for carrying forward the work of the kingdom of God and their contributions will not come from this source, it is announced.

NATION-WIDE STRIKE OF COAL MINERS WAS CALLED OFF BY THE INTERNATIONAL CHIEFS

Lewis Said "We are Americans; We Cannot Fight Our Government"—Judge Anderson Said Order was an Effort in Good Faith to Comply With the Mandate of the Court Ending the Strike.

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—An order calling off the nation-wide bituminous coal strike was issued today following the decision of the general committee of the United Mine Workers early this morning to obey the mandate of United States District Judge Anderson issued Saturday. The general committee, composed of the international officers, district presidents and members of the executive board and scale committee, reached the decision at 4:10 o'clock this morning after 17 hours of discussion and adjourned five minutes later to reconvene at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

"Gentlemen, we will comply with the mandate of the court. We do it under protest. We are Americans. We cannot fight our government. That is all," was the statement of Acting President Lewis in announcing the decision. Other members of the conference, apparently worn out by the long hours of discussion, declined to add to the statement of their chief and soon dispersed.

Shortly before the conference adjourned, President Lewis and Secretary Treasurer William Green held a long conference in the parlor of the hotel and later Lewis was seen pacing up and down the floor with his head bowed as if in deep study. Developments following this conference came rapidly.

The recall of the strike order will open the way immediately for a resumption of negotiations, as the operators have announced their readiness to consider a new wage agreement at any time the strike order was withdrawn. It is also understood that the question of arbitration entered largely into the discussion, but the miners' position on this subject was not announced. The question of how many miners would obey the order is problematical. In some districts it is considered that the resumption of work will be general, in others only partial and in some the return will be very slow. The order calling off the strike, under the court order, must be on the way to the miners' membership by 6 o'clock tonight.

Anderson Approved Order.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—Judge Anderson in the federal court at 10 o'clock today approved the order of the executive board of the United Mine Workers calling off the strike. The attorneys of the miners promised to try to have it in the mails by 6 o'clock. The text of the order follows:

"Dear Sirs and Brothers: In obedience to the mandate issued November 8th by the United States court for the district of Indiana, Judge A. L. Anderson presiding, the undersigned hereby advise you that the order of October 15 directing cessation of operations in the bituminous coal field of our jurisdiction is withdrawn and cancelled. Yours fraternally, William Green, Secretary-Treasurer; John L. Lewis, President."

Judge Anderson characterized the order as a "good faith effort" to comply with his mandate.

Undisguisedly Relieved.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Government officials here received with undisguised relief the announcement from Indianapolis that the executives of the United Mine Workers had voted to call off the strike.

Call Them Together.

Washington, Nov. 11.—I shall immediately call the miners and operators together to negotiate a wage agreement," Secretary of Labor Wilson said after a meeting of the president's cabinet.

Iowa Miners Won't Return.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 11.—Iowa miners will not return to work, in the opinion of Joseph Morris, vice president of district 13.

Advised to Ignore Order.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 11.—Word is being passed among the miners here, as reflected in talks with individual

miners, to ignore the order to return to work.

Texas Miners Will Obey.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—Texas miners will obey the orders to return to work when received, said Ed Cunningham, former district president. Twenty-five hundred miners are affected in Texas.

BURIED IN QUERETARO.

Mexico City, Nov. 11.—Señora Carranza, wife of the president, was buried today in Queretaro.

RAIDED SINN FEINERS.

Dublin, Nov. 11.—The Sinn Féin parliament was raided today and nine men arrested.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co., agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.

Opening—Spots fair demand; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 49,000; American 39,000. Good middling 26.81 (English pence). Middling 25.41. Futures steady. Nov. 24.75-88; Dec. 24.23-40; Jan. 23.78-84; March 22.76-80; May 22.05-13. Close—Very steady. Nov. 25.05; Dec. 24.63; Jan. 23.99; March 22.98; May 22.32.

New York.

Opening—Dec. 37.75-9e; Jan. 37.10-30; March 36.25-30; May 35.60-59. Close—Easy. Dec. 38.15-20; Jan. 37.16-20; March 36.08-15; May 35.16-17.

New Orleans.

Opening—Dec. 38.60-55; Jan. 37.50-46; March 36.30-39; May 35.60-62. Close—Steady. Dec. 38.60-67; Jan. 37.49-52; March 36.20-26; May 35.20-23.

Houston.

Spots steady. 50 points up. Middling 42.00. Sales 629. To arrive 3.56e.

Galveston.

Spots firm, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 9. F. O. B. 4.86e.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

In Finland many women are employed as hands in the saw-mills.

In Ancient Rome no women over fifty years old was allowed to marry.

The Basque women of Spain think they render themselves beautiful by shaving their heads.

In Greenland all the negotiations for a marriage are transacted between the parents of the interested parties.

As secretary of the local chamber of commerce, Mrs. Katherine Robinson helps to keep Centralia, Wash., on the map.

In the Isle of Man every widow is entitled to half of her husband's personal estate, and she cannot be deprived of this by will.

A recent innovation in Republican politics in Indiana has been the active participation of women political leaders in the congressional district conferences.

The salary committee of the Massachusetts Teachers' Federation has reported that an unmarried woman teacher today needs an annual income of at least \$1812.

Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy, who has been chosen first president of the new International Association of Women Physicians, in a resident of Portland, Ore., and during the war was prominent in Red Cross work, both in America and abroad.

Under a new scale recently put into effect by the United States Railway Administration, the women employed as coach cleaners are paid at a rate of 45 cents an hour.

Girls attending a prominent school in Brooklyn have just received a tragic blow. Cosmetics, short skirts and open-work waists have been banned by the school authorities.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1918.

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FORT WORTH PUPILS WENT OUT ON STRIKE

REFUSED HOLIDAY ON ARMISTICE DAY HIGH SCHOOL

STUDENTS WALKED OUT.

By Associated Press.

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Waco Pupils Struck.

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CHINA DENIES REPORT.

By Associated Press.

Peking, Nov. 11.—It is officially denied that the Chinese government contemplates opening direct negotiations with Japan over the restoration of Tsing-tau.

BURNED BY MOB.

By Associated Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 11.—Jordan Jamieson, a negro who Friday shot and killed Sheriff Greer, was taken from officers at Magnolia today and burned on the public square at Magnolia.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Observance of Martinmas.

Armistice Day, the first anniversary of the ending of hostilities in the great war.

The State of Washington is thirty years old today, having been admitted to the Union on Nov. 11, 1889.

King Victor Emmanuel III, who led Italy to victory in the world war, celebrated his 50th birthday today.

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire today enters upon his fourth year as Governor-General of Canada.

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The members of the Monday Bridge Club and a number of guests were most delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. S. Penn.

The rooms were prettily decorated in white chrysanthemums and ferns.

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Gallagher-Garza.

A pretty home wedding took place last evening at 8 o'clock when Miss Aurora, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. de la Garza, was given in marriage to Mr. David Owen Gallagher, Judge Benavides performing the ceremony. The handsome home was most attractive in its bridal decoration. The reception hall was artistically in white chrysanthemums and ferns. The east parlor, where the ceremony took place, was beautiful in scores of gardenias which came from Mexico City, ferns and palms. To the strains of the wedding march played by the Villar orchestra the bridal party entered in the following order: The bridesmaids, Misses Virginia Gutierrez, Margarita de la Garza and Irene Gomez, in charming gowns of peach-colored silk messaline, wearing hats of black velvet trimmed in peach and carrying shower bouquets of American Beauty roses, entered first, walking alone. They were followed by the matron of honor, Mrs. Rosa Palacios, who was gowned in a handsome peach-colored silk messaline, embroidered. She wore a black velvet hat and carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty roses. She preceded the bride, who entered with her brother, Mr. Bernardo de la Garza. She was beautiful in her bridal gown of white duchesse satin, heavily embroidered in pearls, made in draped effect. Her veil was worn in Juliet cap effect and was held in place by sprays of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and ferns. The groom was attended by the best man, Mr. Palacios. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate buffet supper was served in the dining room, which was effectively decorated in quantities of white chrysanthemums, ferns and palms. The table was artistically arranged and was centrally adorned by a large wedding cake encircled by snowy chrysanthemums and sprays of delicate ferns. The Villar orchestra played throughout the evening, and about one hundred guests were present. Later a delightful reception and dance was given at the Latin-American Club, and about 150 friends were present to felicitate the happy young people. Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher are at the Hamilton Hotel for a short stay, after which they will leave for San Antonio.

General Mention.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert T. Cook arrived in the city yesterday from Dolores. Dr. Cook left last night for his home in Manor, while Mrs. Cook returned this morning to Dolores for a longer visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Davis.

Mrs. S. S. Wilcox after spending a few days in San Antonio visiting relatives and friends will return home tomorrow. She will be accompanied by her brother, Mr. F. W. Jones.

Mr. J. B. DaCamara returned from San Antonio yesterday, and Mrs. DaCamara went on to Pleasanton to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Laro.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and children returned Saturday from San Antonio.

Mrs. Hal Greer returned Sunday from a visit to several points in the state. She enjoyed attending the convention of the Y. W. C. A. in Dallas, where she went as a delegate from Laredo.

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Mrs. J. A. Dickey, who has been spending a few days in San Antonio, is expected home on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignot and their daughter expect to leave Friday for San Antonio to hear the Vatican Choir. They will be joined there by their son, Victor Sauvignot, from Austin.

Mrs. Herring and children of Idaho are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. F. W. Shanks, and sister, Mrs. W. L. Barr.

Miss Nancy McDaniel of Illinois is in the city visiting her brother, Mr. Charles McDaniel.

Announcements.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton will entertain Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at auction bridge, complimenting a number of friends.

Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a business meeting at the church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. K. Thompson conducted the meeting. Two new

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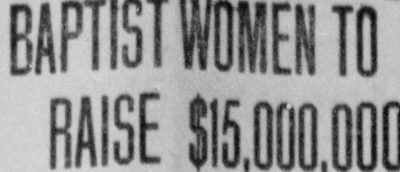
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Through the channels of the Woman's Missionary Union, with headquarters at Baltimore, Md., the Baptist women of the South have since their organization contributed more than \$5,000,000 in cash to various denominational purposes. With the addition of boxes of food and clothing sent to orphanages and other benevolent institutions, the total of their contributions through this channel has reached \$5,710,433.71.

Miss Kathleen Mallory is the corresponding secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union, and in appreciation of the service she has rendered in that connection the Baptist women of Alabama have established the Kathleen Mallory Hospital for Women at Fairhope, Ala. Shantung, China, Miss Mallory being a native of Alabama.

Women of many of the other states have also undertaken special enterprises of their own. Those of Georgia, for instance, established the Ayers Hospital for Women at Hwangan, China, a girls' school at Tumanoto, Japan, the Catherine Bryan Kindergarten School at Canton, China, and the Mary P. Williamson School for Girls at Blue Ridge, Ga., a school designed especially for the education of girls in the mountainous section of that state.

Many of the other state unions have special projects such as Good Will Centers in the tenement, factory and mining districts, where effort is made to bring more sunshine and enlightenment and love into the home and lives of needy families, especially those of foreign birth; church building funds, scholarships for young women who want to obtain training for special Christian service, and similar undertakings.

The general W. M. U., representing all the women of the Southern Baptist Convention, owns and operates the Women's Training School at Louisville, Ky., which has already sent out 700 trained women for special service in all parts of the world; and has established the Margaret Fund for the education in the Baptist schools of the South the sons and daughters of missionaries on the foreign fields, and the Fannie E. S. Heck Memorial, a church building fund established in honor of one of the greatest leaders Southern Baptist women have known.

But money for the support of these institutions as well as that for the payment of the women's pledge of \$15,000,000 in the 75 Million Campaign will be raised by the actual work of the women and through economy and sacrifice. Church fairs, bazaars, suppers, ice cream socials and the like are frowned upon by the organized Baptist women of the South as unworthy means for raising funds for carrying forward the work of the kingdom of God and their contributions will not come from this source, it is announced.

Young Gazip—There goes Mrs. Lastward. They say every cent her husband makes she puts on her back. Old Pogie—Poor fellow! He must have been out of work when that gown was made.

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Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—Texas miners will obey the orders to return to work when received, said Ed Cunningham, former district president. Twenty-five hundred miners are affected in Texas.

BURIED IN QUERETARO.

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, Nov. 11.—Señora Carranza, wife of the president, was buried today in Queretaro.

RAIDED SINN FEINERS.

By Associated Press.

Dublin, Nov. 11.—The Sinn Fein parliament was raided today and nine men arrested.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world.

Liverpool.

Opening—Spots fair demand; prices easy. Sales 10,000. Receipts 49,000; American 30,000. Good middling 25.81 (English pence). Middling 25.31. Futures steady. Nov. 24.75-88; Dec. 24.23-40; Jan. 23.78-84; March 22.76-80; May 22.05-13.

Close—Very steady. Nov. 25.05; Dec. 24.63; Jan. 23.99; March 22.98; May 22.32.

New York.

Opening—Dec. 37.75-9c; Jan. 37.10-30; March 36.25-30; May 35.60-59.

Close—Easy. Dec. 38.15-20; Jan. 37.16-20; March 36.08-15; May 35.16-17.

New Orleans.

Opening—Dec. 38.60-55; Jan. 37.50-46; March 36.30-39; May 35.60-62.

Close—Steady. Dec. 38.60-67; Jan. 37.49-52; March 36.20-26; May 35.20-23.

Houston.

Spots steady. 50 points up. Middling 42.00. Sales 629. To arrive 3.56c.

Galveston.

Spots firm, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 9. F. O. B. 4.86c.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

In Finland many women are employed as hands in the saw-mills.

In Ancient Rome no women over fifty years old was allowed to marry.

The Basque women of Spain think they render themselves beautiful by shaving their heads.

In Greenland all the negotiations for a marriage are transacted between the parents of the interested parties.

As secretary of the local chamber of commerce, Mrs. Katherine Robinson helps to keep Centralia, Wash., on the map.

In the Isle of Man every widow is entitled to half of her husband's personal estate, and she cannot be deprived of this by will.

A recent innovation in Republican politics in Indiana has been the active participation of women political leaders in the congressional district conferences.

The salary committee of the Massachusetts Teachers' Federation has reported that an unmarried woman teacher today needs an annual income of at least \$1812.

Dr. Esther Pohl Lovejoy, who has been chosen first president of the new International Association of Women Physicians, in a resident of Portland, Ore., and during the war was prominent in Red Cross work, both in America and abroad.

Under a new scale recently put into effect by the United States Railway Administration, the women employed as coach cleaners are paid at a rate of 45 cents an hour.

Girls attending a prominent school in Brooklyn have just received a tragic blow. Cosmetics, short skirts and open-work waists have been banned by the school authorities.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

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FORT WORTH PUPILS WENT OUT ON STRIKE

REFUSED HOLIDAY ON ARMISTICE DAY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WALKED OUT.

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 11.—The students of North Fort Worth High School struck when the school board refused to declare a holiday today. The trustees hastily met and ordered a holiday. The students, however, continued the strike.

Waco Pupils Struck.

Waco, Texas, Nov. 11.—The senior class of the Waco High School and a few juniors struck because the principal refused a holiday today.

CHINA DENIES REPORT.

By Associated Press.

Peking, Nov. 11.—It is officially denied that the Chinese government contemplates opening direct negotiations with Japan over the restoration of Tsingtau.

BURNED BY MOB.

By Associated Press.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 11.—Jordan Jamieson, a negro who Friday shot and killed Sheriff Greer, was taken from officers at Magnolia today and burned on the public square at Magnolia.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Observance of Martinmas.

Armistice Day, the first anniversary of the ending of hostilities in the great war.

The State of Washington is thirty years old today, having been admitted to the Union on Nov. 11, 1889.

King Victor Emmanuel III, who led Italy to victory in the world war, celebrated his 50th birthday today.

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire today enters upon his fourth year as Governor-General of Canada.

By legislative act or gubernatorial proclamation more than half the States will observe Armistice Day as a holiday.

In Canada Armistice Day is to be widely celebrated under the auspices of the Great War Veterans' Association.

Armistice Day is to be celebrated in France by a military pilgrimage, over which the Archbishop of Rheims will preside.

The President of the French Republic and Mme. Poincare are to arrive in London today as guests of King George and the British nation.

Orchard and garden products of many States will be placed on display in Des Moines today at the opening of the annual Mid-West Horticultural Exposition.

The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws is to be conferred on General Sir Arthur Currie by the University of Toronto at a special convocation today.

Georgians are to hold a "cost of living" conference at Atlanta today, with A

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ATTACKING DESPOTISM.

There was a time, soon after our Civil War, when a despotism was exercised in this country from which all classes save the privileged class suffered. It was the despotism of capital, brought into power by the demand for production and the ownership of patents, and it was cruel in some of its manifestations. The industrial class was given a power that mere financial possessions had never before given any class.

Out of the strife engendered by the exploitation of the working people came another power, a power which has of late threatened to overturn the free institutions which were respected by the capitalists. The labor unions, beginning to realize the power of the directed millions, came to believe that they were the people, and while they attempted to array the masses against the classes, they were fast becoming a class that arrayed itself against the masses.

Not merely because they were workers did they claim the right to rule, but because they were the aristocrats of the workers—the selected few, the men with brains enough to organize and dominate the unorganized.

By shrewd appeals to class hatreds which had been engendered by the same conditions which brought the labor unions into being, the leaders of the labor movement were able to secure the following of the unthinking, the ignorant, the rabble.

And now they are attempting to override the privileges of all other American citizens. They demand where they should petition, and they order where they should obey, forgetting that all power comes from the people, and that no oligarchy ever lasted long.

The appeal of the labor unions for all to unite against capital, which is so indefinite as to require a clean-cut definition, is failing of its object. The people are beginning to find out that capital, in the final analysis, does not mean an octopus with many arms reaching out after the wealth of all, but that it is the accumulation of the wealth of sometimes comparatively poor people with that of the more wealthy, which is used as the working basis of the industry that employs labor.

Labor itself is capital, for without the skill and the strength and the health of the working people, there could be no industry. And yet labor attacks capital, with capital fighting back for its own self-preservation, until the whole world is torn by the conflict.

Now comes the congressional committee which has been investigating the steel strike and declares that there is no place in this country for a despotism of any sort, whether it be the despotism of capital or that of labor. Says the committee:

"The public has a right to demand that capital shall not arrogate to itself the right to determine in its own way those industrial questions, and it is the same as to labor."

In other words, the people have a right to have all industrial questions settled for the greatest good of the greatest number. It is not only the striker or his employer who is affected by a strike; it is the rest of the people who eventually pay most for the composition of the differences.

We no longer bow down to a crowned head. We have the right to refuse to accept the domination of any class, whether it be the crowned nobility of the capitalists or the humbler and ruder nobility of the workingmen. There are millions who cannot be classed among either group who have just as much right to live and enjoy liberty as have either of these would-be despotic classes.

The world safe for democracy does not include domination by either capital or labor, and the world is coming to understand its rights and privileges as they have never before been known.

Down with despotism, whether it be that of the employing on the employed classes. We have no room for classes. We are all alike citizens of the great republic and shall call no man master.

THE PEOPLE'S DOCUMENT.

In a recent editorial the Sacramento Bee declared that the federal constitution should be the people's document; theirs to alter or amend, and theirs to approve or reject.

So much is this recognized by the present ruling powers in our country that only a short time ago the federal constitution was so amended as to require the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people, instead of by the state legislatures, as formerly required by the constitution.

There are some who insist that we do not touch the constitution; that it is too sacred for profane hands to touch. Yet these same persons who object to the people having a voice in the altering or amending of the constitution would be among the first to demand a change if they felt that their interests were thereby conserved.

As the case now stands, the constitution may be amended by a certain majority in the congress voting for submission to the various state legislatures of the proposed change, and three-quarters of the legislatures "ratifying" the amendment.

In this the people have no voice. They cannot even suggest a change, but must leave it to the representatives and senators in the federal legislative body to propose it, afterward depending upon the state legislatures to vote for its approval.

Those who suggest that the constitution should be in the hands of the people to amend or alter are answered by the statement that ours is a representative government, and that the people have faith in their representatives to conduct their business for them.

But have they? Is it always the case that the act of a representative or senator meets with the popular approval? Have there not been cases where the chosen representatives of the people have deliberately betrayed their constituents? Have there not even been cases where representatives and senators were illegally holding their seats, having been counted into office by corrupt representatives of the people in the capacity of election officers?

There are some things which the representatives of the people can perform with justice to all concerned. But in the case of such an important thing as our constitution, would it not be better for a majority of the people to have the power to commend or condemn those acts?

The people have the right to govern themselves. This is the principle on which our government is founded. But what assurance have we that the representatives of the people are honestly representing them when we find that a constitutional amendment can be carried in spite of the wishes of the majority, merely because the representatives system gives the power to the legislatures to override the wishes of their constituents?

The legislatures, as the Sacramento editor justly observes, are only temporarily in power. There is not a single member of any legislature who can feel certain that he will be elected at the next election. But the people are always there, and will always have the right, even if they do not have the power, to rule according to the will of the majority.

The legislature has a delegated power. But this power is not to be used in opposition to the will of the people. And it is sometimes seen that the legislators do not believe they are delegates of the people, but of the men who really put them in power.

With the control of the entire government machinery in the hands of the people, where it rightfully belongs, there would be less usurpation of power, and this is what the rulers do not want. They want the privileges under which they have worked for so many years to be continued and even extended. And the people are becoming aware of the danger to free institutions in the unlimited power of the people's representatives.

If it is right that the people should elect their senators, then it is also right that the people should decide what the constitution is to be.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarral, Barrocito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.
10-31-2m.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas-Mexican.

Train No. 1 leaves for Corpus Christi at 12:50 p. m.
Train No. 2 arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:35 p. m.

International & Great Northern.
Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 8:30 a. m. and arrives at 2:50 p. m.

Night Train.

Leaves at 9 p. m. and arrives at 8 a. m.

Rio Grande & Eagle Pass.

Train No. 1 leaves Laredo daily except Sunday at 8:30 a. m. Arrives at Minera at 10:20 a. m.

Train No. 2 leaves Minera daily except Sunday at 11 a. m. Arrives at Laredo at 3:15 p. m.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 10.

1805—Thomas C. Wales, who introduced rubber shoes into America, born at Stoughton, Mass. Died in Boston, Dec. 11, 1880.

1827—Gen. Alfred H. Terry, the Federal commander who captured Fort Fisher, born at Hartford, Conn. Died at New Haven, Conn., Dec. 16, 1890.

144—Sir John S. Thompson, famous Canadian statesman, born at Halifax. Died at Windsor, England, Dec. 12, 1894.

1888—An agreement was announced among the great Powers of Europe to exterminate the African slave trade.

1910—Anti-American demonstrations in Mexico on account of the lynching of a Mexican in Texas.

1911—Manchus massacred a large number of Chinese in Nanking, from which city 90,000 Chinese fled.

1914—Gen. Beyers' rebel force defeated by Union of South Africa troops.

1915—Russians broke German defenses near Kolki and took 2,000 prisoners.

1916—Panic and riots in Antwerp as result of deportation of Belgians to Germany.

1917—Lenine was made premier by the rebel government in Petrograd.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

South Africa has more than 32,000,000 sheep, producing over 170,000 pounds of wool annually.

The longest mile is the Norwegian, which contains twelve thousand one hundred and eighty-two yards.

Throughout Belgium generally the birth-rate declined during the war by 50 per cent, and the population is now about the same as in 1910.

The significance of an agate stone, worn as a brooch, is that it is supposed to quench thirst and to protect the wearer against lightning.

Billiards originally could not be called the "green-table sport," since the early billiard tables were covered with blue cloth and not green.

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When a man who is usually an untiring and indefatigable worker stops in his work and goes to visualizing and sees something that other eyes fail to see, he is either preparing to draft a scenario for a movie or else there is something more serious troubling his mind—or rather "on his mind."

This morning Robert E. Essing, army field clerk of the Laredo district, showed up on time for his work, but he would sit down and then walk to a window and be "visualizing," then go back to his desk. Finally he sat down in a pensive mood and was heard to lip something softly that sounded like "Robert Englebirth Essing, Junior." Then he went to raving and exclaimed, "Oh, boy!!!!" Finally the officers asked, "What is worrying you, Bob?" And he showed that he was not worrying, but was superhappy, for a big boy, the first in the family, arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Essing at Mercy Hospital this morning. If Bob should not recognize you on the street, don't be offended, he is in another world today.



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Cool Spell and Sunshine at This Time Will Do Much Good and Help Farmers to Proceed With Plowing.

After a day that was almost devoid of any wind, especially during Sunday afternoon, when the air was clear and still, a fresh norther struck last evening that contributed to making outdoor life most enjoyable Sunday night, and when this morning dawned the coolness was still in evidence, although no cold weather had set in as predicted by the forecaster on Saturday.

With the heavy rains that have fallen here recently, thoroughly soaking the ground, a little cool weather and sunshine would prove a godsend at this time and make the soil just right for plowing and fertilizing preparatory to the work of transplanting onions, which begins early next month. The young onions, as a result of the copious rains, have attained a rapid growth, and most of the young plants will be ready for transplanting sooner than was expected, which will mean that the onion maturing and shipping season next spring will be several weeks ahead of the usual time.

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LAWRENCE H. WHARTON.

Death of Onofre Narro.

R. W. Belden left this morning for Saltillo in response to a telegram announcing the death in that city on last Saturday of his father-in-law, Onofre Narro. Mrs. Belden was at her father's bedside when he passed away, having gone to Saltillo some days ago. Deceased was well known in this section, having formerly been comandante of the custom house in Nuevo Laredo, and during that time made many friends in both Laredos who will regret to learn of his death.

Hebbronville Active.

From the number of application blanks and buttons that have been asked for by the Hebbronville Auxiliary to Laredo Chapter of the Red Cross, the committee feels certain that a surprising number of memberships is going to be reported from that bustling town.

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From Monday's Daily.

ATTACKING DESPOTISM.

There was a time, soon after our Civil War, when a despotism was exercised in this country from which all classes save the privileged class suffered. It was the despotism of capital, brought into power by the demand for production and the ownership of patents, and it was cruel in some of its manifestations. The industrial class was given a power that mere financial possessions had never before given any class.

Out of the strife engendered by the exploitation of the working people came another power, a power which has of late threatened to overturn the free institutions which were respected by the capitalists. The labor unions, beginning to realize the power of the directed millions, came to believe that they were the people, and while they attempted to array the masses against the classes, they were fast becoming a class that arrayed itself against the masses.

Not merely because they were workers did they claim the right to rule, but because they were the aristocrats of the workers—the selected few, the men with brains enough to organize and dominate the unorganized.

By shrewd appeals to class hatreds which had been engendered by the same conditions which brought the labor unions into being, the leaders of the labor movement were able to secure the following of the unthinking, the ignorant, the rabble.

And now they are attempting to override the privileges of all other American citizens. They demand where they should petition, and they get that all power comes from the people, and that no oligarchy ever lasted long.

The appeal of the labor unions for all to unite against capital, which is so indefinite as to require a clean-cut definition, is failing of its object. The people are beginning to find out that capital, in the final analysis, does not mean an octopus with many arms reaching out after the wealth of all, but that it is the accumulation of the wealth of sometimes comparatively poor people with that of the more wealthy, which is used as the working basis of the industry that employs labor.

Labor itself is capital, for without the skill and the strength and the health of the working people, there could be no industry. And yet labor attacks capital, with capital fighting back for its own self-preservation, until the whole world is torn by the conflict.

Now comes the congressional committee which has been investigating the steel strike and declares that there is no place in this country for a despotism of any sort, whether it be the despotism of capital or that of labor. Says the committee:

"The public has a right to demand that capital shall not arrogate to itself the right to determine in its own way those industrial questions, and it is the same as to labor."

In other words, the people have a right to have all industrial questions settled for the greatest good of the greatest number. It is not only the striker or his employer who is affected by a strike; it is the rest of the people who eventually pay most for the composition of the differences.

We no longer bow down to a crowned head. We have the right to refuse to accept the domination of any class, whether it be the crowned nobility of the capitalists or the humbler and ruder nobility of the workmen. There are millions who cannot be classed among either group who have just as much right to live and enjoy liberty as have either of these would-be despotic classes.

The world safe for democracy does not include domination by either capital or labor, and the world is coming to understand its rights and privileges as they have never before been known.

Down with despotism, whether it be that of the employing on the employed classes. We have no room for classes. We are all alike citizens of the great republic and shall call no man master.

THE PEOPLE'S DOCUMENT.

In a recent editorial the Sacramento Bee declared that the federal constitution should be the people's document; theirs to alter or amend, and theirs to approve or reject.

So much is this recognized by the present ruling powers in our country that only a short time ago the federal constitution was so amended as to require the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people, instead of by the state legislatures, as formerly required by the constitution.

There are some who insist that we do not touch the constitution; that it is too sacred for profane hands to touch. Yet these same persons who object to the people having a voice in the altering or amending of the constitution would be among the first to demand a change if they felt that their interests were thereby conserved.

As the case now stands, the constitution may be amended by a certain majority in the congress voting for submission to the various state legislatures of the proposed change, and three-quarters of the legislatures "ratifying" the amendment.

In this the people have no voice. They cannot even suggest a change, but must leave it to the representatives and senators in the federal legislative body to propose it, afterward depending upon the state legislatures to vote for its approval.

Those who suggest that the constitution should be in the hands of the people to amend or alter are answered by the statement that ours is a representative government, and that the people have faith in their representatives to conduct their business for them.

But have they? Is it always the case that the act of a representative or senator meets with the popular approval? Have there not been cases when the chosen representatives of the people have deliberately betrayed their constituents? Have there not even been cases where representatives and senators were illegally holding their seats, having been counted into office by corrupt representatives of the people in the capacity of election officers?

There are some things which the representatives of the people can perform with justice to all concerned. But in the case of such an important thing as our constitution, would it not be better for a majority of the people to have the power to commend or condemn those acts?

The people have the right to govern themselves. This is the principle on which our government is founded. But what assurance have we that the representatives of the people are honestly representing them when we find that a constitutional amendment can be carried in spite of the wishes of the majority, merely because the representatives system gives the power to the legislatures to override the wishes of their constituents?

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With the control of the entire government machinery in the hands of the people, where it rightfully belongs, there would be less usurpation of power, and this is what the rulers do not want. They want the privileges under which they have worked for so many years to be continued and even extended. And the people are becoming aware of the danger to free institutions in the unlimited power of the people's representatives.

If it is right that the people should elect their senators, then it is also right that the people should decide what the constitution is to be.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barroito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.
10-31-2m.

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COOL NORTHER WAS WELCOME FOLLOWING CLOSE SUNDAY

Cool Spell and Sunshine at This Time Will Do Much Good and Help Farmers to Proceed With Plowing.

After a day that was almost devoid of any wind, especially during Sunday afternoon, when the air was clear and still, a fresh norther struck last evening that contributed to making outdoor life most enjoyable Sunday night, and when this morning dawned the coolness was still in evidence, although no cold weather had set in as predicted by the forecaster on Saturday.

With the heavy rains that have fallen here recently, thoroughly soaking the ground, a little cool weather and sunshine would prove a godsend at this time and make the soil just right for plowing and fertilizing preparatory to the work of transplanting onions, which begins early next month. The young onions, as a result of the copious rains, have attained a rapid growth, and most of the young plants will be ready for transplanting sooner than was expected, which will mean that the onion maturing and shipping season next spring will be several weeks ahead of the usual time.

FOR SKIN TORTURES

Zemo, the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid, Just What You Need. Is Not Greasy

Don't worry about eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using Zemo obtained at any drug store for 35c, or extra large bottle at \$1.00.

Zemo generally removes pimples, blackheads, blotches, eczema and ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy and stains nothing. It is easily applied and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

An Endorsement.

After an abundant opportunity of knowing the work of the Red Cross, both in war times and in peace, most heartily do I endorse the peace time program of the American Red Cross. I count it not only a duty but a privilege to answer this Roll Call promptly.

LAWRENCE H. WHARTON.

Death of Onofre Narro.

R. W. Belden left this morning for Saltillo in response to a telegram announcing the death in that city on last Saturday of his father-in-law, Onofre Narro. Mrs. Belden was at her father's bedside when he passed away, having gone to Saltillo some days ago. Deceased was well known in this section, having formerly been comandante of the custom house in Nuevo Laredo, and during that time made many friends in both Laredos who will regret to learn of his death.

Hebbronville Active.

From the number of application blanks and buttons that have been asked for by the Hebbronville Auxiliary to Laredo Chapter of the Red Cross, the committee feels certain that a surprising number of memberships is going to be reported from that bustling town.

BOB ESSING UP AND ABOUT BUT WEARS PECULIAR LOOK

Always Trusted With His Work at District Headquarters, His Quandary of Mind Puzzled Officials.

When a man who is usually an untiring and indefatigable worker stops in his work and goes to visualizing and sees something that other eyes fail to see, he is either preparing to draft a scenario for a movie or else there is something more serious troubling his mind—or rather "on his mind."

This morning Robert E. Essing, army field clerk of the Laredo district, showed up on time for his work, but he would sit down and then walk to a window and he "visualizing," then go back to his desk. Finally he sat down in a pensive mood and was heard to hisp something softly that sounded like "Robert Englebirth Essing, Junior." Then he went to raving and exclaimed, "Oh, boy!!!!" Finally the officials asked, "What is worrying you, Bob?" And he showed that he was not worrying, but was superhappy, for a big boy, the first in the family, arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Essing at Mercy Hospital this morning. If Bob should not recognize you on the street, don't be offended, he is in another world today.

Sure Relief



BELLANS FOR INDIGESTION. 6 BELLANS Hot water Sure Relief. TIMES WANT ADS. \$\$\$\$ Money Makers \$\$\$\$

FEDERAL COURT CONVENED IN LAREDO THIS FORENOON

All Court Officials Present When Court Was Convened By Judge Hutcherson; Juries Empanelled.

The November term of the United States Court for the Southern District of Texas in Webb county was convened at the district court room in the federal building at 10 o'clock this forenoon by Federal Judge Hutcherson, who arrived here this morning, the other court officials having reached here yesterday.

Those present at the convening of the federal court this forenoon were the following court officials: Judge J. C. Hutcherson, Jr., presiding; Jake H. Herring, United States marshal; Allen Walker and Mr. Bernier, deputy United States marshals; D. E. Simmons, United States district attorney; W. F. Cody and W. T. Jones, assistant United States district attorneys; L. C. Masterson, United States district naturalization examiner; Mrs. Owen, clerk to United States district attorney.

Following the convening of court the following jurors for the term were empanelled by Judge Hutcherson and, immediately set to work:

Grand Jurors:—W. J. Sames, foreman; Robert F. Alexander, J. E. Applewhite, Henry Borchers, M. W. Brennan, E. B. Brewster, S. V. Edwards, Augustin Sallinas, Leopoldo Villegas, Julius Wormser, John McDermott, Sylvester Dille, John R. Byrne, J. Walter Martin, W. R. Wheeler, J. H. Gallman, M. H. Martin, Jr., J. B. Moore, J. E. Murphy, Maurice Shannon, A. M. Dilworth, Ike Alexander, W. C. Beaman, Sam Mackin.

Petit Jurors:—W. H. Robbins, R. L. Keithly, Lonnie Jacobs, James W. Byrne, John Franklin, George Henry, J. W. Atkinson, J. H. Brice, Amador E. Garcia, J. W. Ward, Daniel M. Valdez, A. C. Taylor, Mercurio Martinez, Miguel Benavides, W. P. Franklin, Homer Kuykendall, Don Martin, I. E. Neal, John D. Davies, A. J. Martin, C. F. Binkley, Henry Martin, W. L. Gayler and W. S. Patrick.

Following the empanelling of the grand jury the civil docket was taken up.

A Good Cough Medicine for Children

Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Redon, Cal., phoned to J. M. Floyd, the merchant there, for a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said she had bought a bottle of it at the store recently and that it was doing her children so much good that she wanted to keep up the treatment. You will find nothing better for coughs and colds in children or for yourself. It keeps the cough loose, expectoration easy and soon frees the system from the cold.

WE ARE NOW SHOWING CHARMING CREATIONS IN FALL MILLINERY

GAGE PATTERNS RECEIVED WEEKLY

MISS M. SALLEE,
1209 LINCOLN ST.

Fall Sale Electric Fans

Our entire stock of Emerson Fans at Cost. Buy your Fan now for next season at these Bargain Prices and derive benefit of same for the remainder of this season.

- 16' 4-Blade Oscillating Fan, now . . \$30.00
- 12' 4 Blade Oscillating Fan, now . . 25.00
- 9' 4-Blade Oscillating Fan, now . . 20.00
- 16' 4-Blade Stand Type Fan, now . . 23.00
- 12' 4-Blade Stand Type Fan, now . . 19.00
- 9' 4-Blade Stand Type Fan, now . . 15.00

Call at our office, 1211 Farragut Street, and let us show you our stock, or phone 126 and we will deliver to any part of the city.

THE LAREDO ELECTRIC & RY. CO.

From Monday's Daily.



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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Monday.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Monday Bridge Club will be entertained at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon by Mrs. J. S. Penn.

Tuesday.

The Tuesday Music and Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Nye at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church will meet at the Rectory at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Sunbeam Band will meet at the Baptist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Just the Things.

Just a golden sunrise, just a word of cheer,
Just a summer shower, just a rainbow clear;
Just a crimson sunset, just a purple hill,
Just a shaft of moonlight when the world is still,
Just a little fragrant breeze, just an azure sky;
Just the murmur of the sea, just a baby's cry;
Just a nodding flower, just a bird's sweet lay,
Just someone to greet us at the close of day,
Just a haunting melody—a half-forgotten song,
Just the glad warm sunshine through the whole day long;
Just the doing of our bit ever-willingly,
Just the chance of helping—those across the sea,
Just a friendly handclasp, just a word of love,
Just the simple knowledge God is there above;

Just an act of kindness, just a sunny smile—
These are just the things that make our life worth while.
—Jane Arden in the People's Home Journal.

General Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reiser have returned from a pleasant visit to their old home in Illinois and after a short stay in the city went on to their home in Reiser, Texas.

Lawrence Earnest, who has been overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces, was expected home yesterday.

Mrs. P. J. MacMahon and Mrs. T. Lickie left Saturday for Cuero, Texas, to visit their sister, Mrs. J. A. Bentley.

Miss Eva Scratchley returned to San Ignacio yesterday afternoon after spending the weekend at home.

Announcements.

The Parish Guild of Christ Church will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gatewood Honored.

One of the attractive entertainments of Saturday was the card party given by Mrs. A. E. Younkin in the afternoon honoring Mrs. Charles Gatewood of Leavenworth, Kansas.

The rooms were prettily decorated with white chrysanthemums and ferns. Six tables were arranged for the players, and a delicious luncheon was served before the games. In the games, in the series of games of bridge played, the high score prize went to Mrs. H. W. Johnston, who received a pair of silk hose. The low score fell to Mrs. J. S. Penn, who was given a dainty embroidered handkerchief. The honoree was presented with a pair of silken hose. A decidedly unique innovation of place cards with the following rhyme was the method chosen by Mrs. Younkin in placing her guests:

"In choosing your place,
Just look for the space
Where your hobby, vocation
Or virtue you trace."

Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality were the honor guest, Mrs. Charles Gatewood; Misses Kate Tarver, Alma Pierce, Marguerite Nelson, Maria Nowry and Josephine Sauvignot; Mesdames Norwood Wittling, Austin, Vidales, Biggio, Moore, Brennan, Johnston, Fish, Barlow, Blinks, Christen, J. S. Penn, Lafon, Colbern, Foster, Mims, A. Martin, J. W. Brewster, Derby and Watson. Mrs. Younkin was assisted in entertaining her guests by her sister, Mrs. W. C. Greenstreet.

Monday Bridge Club.
The members of the Monday Bridge Club entertained with a beautiful party at the home of

Mrs. J. C. Martin on Saturday evening, celebrating their first anniversary. The guests complimented were the husbands of the members. The rooms were charming in their arrangement, quantities of red roses and ferns being used in the decorations. A delicious three-course supper was served before the games. In the series of games of bridge played the ladies' prize was won by Mrs. E. H. Sauvignot, who received a half dozen Madeira embroidered handkerchiefs. The men's prize, a box of silk ties, went to Mr. T. A. Leyendecker. The favors for the guests were red rosebuds. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moser, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lafon, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignot, Mrs. C. C. Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin.

PERSONALS

J. J. Lawrence, formerly stationed in Laredo as agent of the department of justice, arrived here from his headquarters in San Antonio yesterday and will be here during the week attending federal court.

Meteorites of Great Age.

Meteorites of indicated great age, are not found in museum collections, and it is suggested that such specimens may disintegrate and disappear from the rocks within a relatively short time after falling.

The British Museum, however, has acquired a slice weighing somewhat less than a pound from a meteoric iron that is believed to represent an ancient fall, says the Newark News. The slice is from one of two similar masses that were found in January, 1905, within a few miles of Dawson, Klondike, and that, from their position in the oldest gravels of the district, are thought to have rested there since the Pliocene age.

Production.

"Didn't you say the swords would be beaten into plowshares?" "Yes," said Farmer Cornsogel, "but it seems like we can't get the hired help to keep up with the plowshares."

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:
Tonight and Tuesday fair.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:
Max. temp. 72 degs.
Min. temp. 65 degs.
General direction of wind: South.
Cloudy.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

A man is generally at his heaviest in his 40th year.
Nearly all shoes worn in Japan are made of straw or wood.

Sugar has been eaten in China for at least three thousand years.

The Chinese language has thirty thousand characters and there are six different styles of writing it.

The "clocks" on stockings, now merely ornamental, were originally the cover for awkward-looking seams.

Platinum was so named by the Spaniards on account of its silvery color, "plata," signifying silver. It was discovered in the sand of the River Pinto, in South America, and was unknown in Europe until 1741.

One of the largest copper mining corporations in America has taken

BRITISH FLYERS END A LONG TRIP



Admiral Mark Keer (left) and his pilot, Major Brackley of the British air service, who recently landed at Mineola in their giant Handley-Page plane after a trip from Nova Scotia that was delayed by many accidents.

out an industrial insurance policy covering the lives of all of its many thousands of employees. The face value of the policy exceeds \$10,000,000.

The Indians on the banks of the Orinoco River assert that an alligator, previous to going in search of prey, always swallows a large stone, so that it may acquire additional weight to aid it in dragging captured animals under water.

A wonderful substitute for coal, made of a compound of straw, has been discovered by a Spanish engineer. The composition is said to develop sufficient steam for a locomotive in thirty minutes, and the ashes it leaves has been found to make an excellent fertilizer.

Despite the present high prices, King George's tailor bills are probably half of what King Edward's used to be in a year. The late King rarely wore the same suit of clothes more than half a dozen times and often only once or twice, whilst King George usually wears a suit many times before it is removed from the royal wardrobe.

Railway ties used in southern Russia are salted for preservation. The discovery of the efficacy of salt for the purpose was made accidentally some thirty years ago. The telegraph poles of Sebastopol soon rotted below the ground, and one of the workmen tried the experiment of putting a quantity of salt into the hole prepared for the reception of the base of the pole. The wood lasted five times as long as usual, and the experiment was repeated and extended to railway ties.

Ball games were first played by the ancient Greeks and Romans, and considered merely of throwing and catching the ball. This was found to be an excellent method of strengthening the figure and keeping the body healthy.

HAND STIRRUPS.

"See any fancy ridin' while you was East?" asked Three-Finger Sam.

"I sure did," answered Cactus Joe. "But everything's topsyturvy. People in the cars have to hang on with their wrists in straps."

"Jes' think of that. Usin' the stirrups for their hands instead of their feet!"—Washington Star.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 10.

Winston Churchill, author of numerous popular novels, born at St. Louis, 48 years ago today.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, poet, philosopher and late U. S. Minister to the Netherlands, born at Germantown, Pa., 67 years ago today.

Dr. Edmund C. Sanford, president of Clark College, born at Oakland, Cal., 60 years ago today.

Chester H. Aldrich, former governor of Nebraska, born at Pierpont, O., 57 years ago today.

Donald B. McMillan, who has attained fame as an Arctic explorer, born at Provincetown, Mass., 45 years ago today.

ODD AND INTERESTING.

Orphan asylums are unknown in Australia. Every destitute orphan child is sent to a private family, which takes care of it until it is fourteen years of age, and is remunerated by the Government.

At the sides of the famous pitch lake of Trinidad the pitch is hard and cold, but at the centre it is almost constantly boiling. All efforts to ascertain the depth of the lake have been unsuccessful.

A large number of Japanese obtain a livelihood by catching fireflies. These insects are used as ornaments at social festivities. Sometimes they are kept caged, sometimes released in swarms in the presence of the guests.

In the sixteenth century there was a curious law in England whereby street peddlers were forbidden to sell plums and apples, for the reason that servants and apprentices were unable to resist the sight of them, and were constantly tempted to steal their employers' money in order to enjoy the costly delicacies.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 10.

The time-honored Lord Mayor's show will take place in London today, and the new Lord Mayor, Sir Edward Ernest Cooper, will be formally installed in office. No more violent contrast is to be found the world over than that existing between the various duties of the Lord Mayor of London. Theoretically, at least, the King of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India cannot enter the city of London without his consent; yet he spends the best part of his morning dispensing Solomon-like justice upon petty offenders who have broken the peace of the square mile of territory over which he rules.

Outside of this, his duties are largely ornamental, consisting of attendance on meetings, dinners, receptions and other functions of a public or semi-public nature. He receives \$50,000 a year, but is expected to spend several times this amount in the way of entertainment and otherwise keeping up the dignity of his office.

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Only a Cold.

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WILL GIVE COTTON PRICES IN MARKETS

PRICES BE RECEIVED AT CENTRAL POINTS AND WIRED AT THE RECEIVER'S EXPENSE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Arrangements are being completed by the department of agriculture by which cotton planters and others will be able to obtain actual cotton prices in different grades in the primary markets, especially in the lower grades not deliverable on future contracts. The prices will be issued at Memphis, Atlanta, New Orleans, Dallas and Charlotte and telephoned or telegraphed at the expense of the receiver or mailed free.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.

Opening—Spots large inquiry; prices firm. Sales 10,000. Receipts 26,000; American 6,200. Good middling 27.10 (English pence). Middling 25.60. Quiet. Nov. 25.35-15; Dec. 24.95-80; Jan. 24.20-30; March 23.23-11; May 22.46-48.
Close—Irrregular. Nov. 24.67; Dec. 24.43; Jan. 23.90; March 22.88; May 22.22.

New York.

Opening—Dec. 38.10-18; Jan. 37.30-20; March 36.20-18; May 35.55-59.
Close—Barely steady. Dec. v. 80.85; Jan. 36.90-98; March 35.88-82; May 35.12-18.

New Orleans.

Opening—Dec. 38.40-50; Jan. 37.50-60; March 36.50-56; May 36.80-75.
Close—Steady. Dec. 38.30-4; Jan. 37.25-31; March 36.03-11; May 35.17-22.

Houston.

Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 424. To arrive 3,666.

Galveston.

Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 10. F. O. B. 4,261.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

The Supreme Court of the United States will reconvene today after a two weeks' recess.

Sir Edward Ernest Cooper today will be formally installed as Lord Mayor of London, with all of the pageantry and ceremony which the custom of centuries has prescribed for the occasion.

The American Legion, the great national organization of men and women who saw service under the Stars and Stripes in the world war, is to be given permanent form at a convention to be opened in Minneapolis today.

The first congress of the reconstituted International Transport Workers' Federation, one of the foremost among international labor organizations, is to assemble today at Christiania, Norway.

The Northwest Live Stock Show, one of the leading annual exhibitions of pedigreed cattle in the Western States, will get under way today at Lewiston, Idaho, and continue through the week.

New York State Federation of Women's Clubs will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of its organization at a four-day convention which will begin its sessions today at Elmira.

Thousands of hotel men from all parts of the North American continent are expected to assemble in New York for the fourth annual convention and exposition of the National Hotel Men's Association.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Monday.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
Monday Bridge Club will be entertained at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon by Mrs. J. S. Penn.

Tuesday.

The Tuesday Music and Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Nye at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church will meet at the Rectory at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Sunbeam Band will meet at the Baptist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Just the Things.

Just a golden sunrise, just a word of cheer,
Just a summer shower, just a rainbow clear,
Just a crimson sunset, just a purple hill,
Just a shaft of moonlight when the world is still,
Just a little fragrant breeze, just an azure sky,
Just the murmur of the sea, just a baby's cry,
Just a nodding flower, just a bird's sweet lay,
Just someone to greet us at the close of day,
Just a haunting melody—a half-forgotten song,
Just the glad warm sunshine through the whole day long,
Just the doing of our bit ever willingly,
Just the chance of helping—those across the sea,
Just a friendly handclasp, just a word of love,
Just the simple knowledge God is there above,
Just an act of kindness, just a sunny smile—
These are just the things that make our life worth while.
—Jane Arden in the People's Home Journal.

General Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reiser have returned from a pleasant visit to their old home in Illinois and after a short stay in the city went on to their home in Reiser, Texas.

Lawrence Earnest, who has been overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces, was expected home yesterday.

Mrs. P. J. McMahon and Mrs. T. Buckley left Saturday for Cuero, Texas, to visit their sister, Mrs. J. A. Bentley.

Miss Eva Scratchley returned to San Ignacio yesterday afternoon after spending the week-end at home.

Rev. Chas. W. Cook spent Sunday in St. Louis and is expected home on Tuesday.

Announcements.

The Parish Guild of Christ Church will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gatewood Honored.

One of the attractive entertainments of Saturday was the card party given by Mrs. A. E. Younkin in the afternoon honoring Mrs. Charles Gatewood of Leavenworth, Kansas. The rooms were prettily decorated with white chrysanthemums and ferns. Six tables were arranged for the players, and a delicious luncheon was served before the games. In the games, the high score prize went to Mrs. H. W. Johnston. The low score fell to Mrs. J. S. Penn, who was given a dainty embroidered handkerchief. The honoree was presented with a pair of silken hose. A decidedly unique innovation of place cards with the following rhyme was the method chosen by Mrs. Younkin in placing her guests:

"In choosing your place,
Just look for the space
Where your hobby, vocation
Or virtue you trace."

Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality were the honor guest, Mrs. Charles Gatewood; Misses Kate Tarver, Alma Pierce, Marguerite Nelson, Maria Nowry and Josephine Sauvignat; Mesdames Norwood Witting, Austin, Vidales, Biggio, Moore, Brennan, Johnston, Fish, Barlow, Binks, Christen, J. S. Penn, Lafon, Colbern, Foster, Mims, A. Martin, J. W. Brewster, Derby and Watson. Mrs. Younkin was assisted in entertaining her guests by her sister, Mrs. W. C. Greenstreet.

Monday Bridge Club.

The members of the Monday Bridge Club entertained with a beautifully appointed party at the home of

Mrs. J. C. Martin on Saturday evening, celebrating their first anniversary. The guests complimented were the husbands of the members. The rooms were charming in their arrangement, quantities of red roses and ferns being used in the decorations. A delicious three-course supper was served before the games. In the series of games of bridge played the ladies' prize was won by Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat, who received a half dozen Madeira embroidered handkerchiefs. The men's prize, a box of silk ties, went to Mr. T. A. Leyendecker. The favors for the guests were red rosebuds. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moser, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lafon, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Sauvignat, Mrs. C. C. Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin.

PERSONALS

J. J. Lawrence, formerly stationed in Laredo as agent of the department of justice, arrived here from his headquarters in San Antonio yesterday and will be here during the week attending federal court.

Meteorites of Great Age.

Meteorites of indicated great age, are not found in museum collections, and it is suggested that such specimens may disintegrate and disappear from the rocks within a relatively short time after falling.

The British Museum, however, has acquired a slice weighing somewhat less than a pound from a meteoric iron that is believed to represent an ancient fall, says the Newark News. The slice is from one of two similar masses that were found in January, 1905, within a few miles of Dawson, Klondike, and that, from their position in the oldest gravels of the district, are thought to have rested there since the Pliocene age.

Production.

"Didn't you say the swords would be beaten into plowshares?" "Yes," said Farmer Cornsossel, "but it seems like we can't get the hired help to keep up with the plowshares."

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:
Tonight and Tuesday fair.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:
Max. temp. 72 degs.
Min. temp. 65 degs.
General direction of wind: South.
Cloudy.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

A man is generally at his heaviest in his 40th year.

Nearly all shoes worn in Japan are made of straw or wood.

Sugar has been eaten in China for at least three thousand years.

The Chinese language has thirty thousand characters and there are six different styles of writing it.

The "clocks" on stockings, now merely ornamental, were originally the cover for awkward-looking seams.

Platinum was so named by the Spaniards on account of its silvery color, "plata," signifying silver. It was discovered in the sand of the River Pinto, in South America, and was unknown in Europe until 1741.

One of the largest copper mining corporations in America has taken

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BRITISH FLYERS END A LONG TRIP



Admiral Mark Keer (left) and his pilot, Major Brackley of the British air service, who recently landed at Mineola in their giant Handley-Page plane after a trip from Nova Scotia that was delayed by many accidents.

out an industrial insurance policy covering the lives of all of its many thousands of employees. The face value of the policy exceeds \$10,000,000. The Indians on the banks of the Orinoco River assert that an alligator, previous to going in search of prey, always swallows a large stone, so that it may acquire additional weight to aid it in dragging captured animals under water.

A wonderful substitute for coal, made of a compound of straw, has been discovered by a Spanish engineer. The composition is said to develop sufficient steam for a locomotive in thirty minutes, and the ashes it leaves has been found to make an excellent fertilizer.

Despite the present high prices, King George's tailor bills are probably half of what King Edward's used to be in a year. The late King rarely wore the same suit of clothes more than half a dozen times and often only once or twice, whilst King George usually wears a suit many times before it is removed from the royal wardrobe.

Railway ties used in southern Russia are salted for preservation. The discovery of the efficacy of salt for the purpose was made accidentally some thirty years ago. The telegraph poles of Sebastopol soon rotted below the ground, and one of the workmen tried the experiment of putting a quantity of salt into the hole prepared for the reception of the base of the pole. The wood lasted five times as long as usual, and the experiment was repeated and extended to railway ties.

Ball games were first played by the ancient Greeks and Romans, and considered merely of throwing and catching the ball. This was found to be an excellent method of strengthening the figure and keeping the body healthy.

HAND STIRRUPS.

"See any fancy ridin' while you was East?" asked Three-Finger Sam. "I sure did," answered Cactus Joe. "But everything's topsyturvy. People in the cars have to hang on with their wrists in straps."

"Jes' think of that. Usin' the stirrups for their hands instead of their feet!"—Washington Star.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 10.

Winston Churchill, author of numerous popular novels, born at St. Louis, 48 years ago today.

Dr. Henry Van Dyke, poet, philosopher and late U. S. Minister to the Netherlands, born at Germantown, Pa., 67 years ago today.

Dr. Edmund C. Sanford, president of Clark College, born at Oakland, Cal., 69 years ago today.

Chester H. Aldrich, former governor of Nebraska, born at Pierpont, O., 57 years ago today.

Donald B. McMillan, who has attained fame as an Arctic explorer, born at Provincetown, Mass., 45 years ago today.

ODD AND INTERESTING.

Orphan asylums are unknown in Australia. Every destitute orphan child is sent to a private family, which takes care of it until it is fourteen years of age, and is remunerated by the Government.

At the sides of the famous pitch lake of Trinidad the pitch is hard and cold, but at the centre it is almost constantly boiling. All efforts to ascertain the depth of the lake have been unsuccessful.

A large number of Japanese obtain a livelihood by catching fireflies. These insects are used as ornaments at social festivities. Sometimes they are kept caged, sometimes released in swarms in the presence of the guests.

In the sixteenth century there was a curious law in England whereby street peddlers were forbidden to sell plums and apples, for the reason that servants and apprentices were unable to resist the sight of them, and were constantly tempted to steal their employers' money in order to enjoy the costly delicacies.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

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WILL GIVE COTTON PRICES IN MARKETS

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By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Arrangements are being completed by the department of agriculture by which cotton planters and others will be able to obtain actual cotton prices in different grades in the primary markets, especially in the lower grades not deliverable on future contracts. The prices will be issued at Memphis, Atlanta, New Orleans, Dallas and Charlotte and telephoned or telegraphed at the expense of the receiver or mailed free.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.
Opening—Spots large inquiry; prices firm. Sales 10,000. Receipts 26,000; American 6,200. Good middling 27.10 (English pence). Middling 25.60. Quiet. Nov. 25.35-15; Dec. 24.95-80; Jan. 24.20-30; March 23.23-11; May 22.46-48.
Close—Irrregular. Nov. 24.67; Dec. 24.43; Jan. 23.90; March 22.88; May 22.22.

New York.
Opening—Dec. 38.10-18; Jan. 37.30-20; March 36.20-16; May 35.55-59.
Close—Barely steady. Dec. v. 80-85; Jan. 36.90-98; March 35.88-92; May 35.12-18.

New Orleans.
Opening—Dec. 38.40-50; Jan. 37.50-60; March 36.50-56; May 36.80-75.
Close—Steady. Dec. 38.30-4; Jan. 37.25-31; March 36.03-11; May 35.17-22.

Houston.
Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 424. To arrive 3,666.

Galveston.
Spots steady, unchanged. Middling 42.50. Sales 10. F. O. B. 4.261.

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No Hint As to Action.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 10.—No hint as to the action of the international officers of the United Mine Workers today was forthcoming, despite the action of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor. The federation statement is believed in many quarters to presage a fight on the part of the miners, assisted by labor in general, against the mandatory injunction of Federal Judge Anderson.

Will Not Call Off Strike.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Labor leaders predicted that the international officers of the United Mine Workers, meeting in Indianapolis, would not call off the coal strike, whatever the legal consequences might be. One spokesman of the miners' organization said he doubted if acting President Lewis and his associates had the power, even if they were inclined to comply with the demand. "The strike was ordered by the delegates in convention in the event the operators refused to grant our demands," the spokesman said, "and Lewis merely carried out their instructions in ordering the strike. The convention must call it off."

MRS. CARRANZA DEAD.

Word was received by Mayor Juan Barrera of Nuevo Laredo today that Mrs. Carranza, wife of the president, died this morning at Queretaro, as a consequence all public buildings were closed and emblems of mourning were prominently displayed.

WON'T MAKE PEACE WITH BOLSHEVIKI

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NUMEROUS CLASHES WITH THE STRIKERS

ESTIMATED AT YOUNGSTOWN THAT TWO THOUSAND STRIKERS BEGAN WORK TODAY.

By Associated Press.

Youngstown, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Numerous clashes between pickets and deserters from the strikers' ranks marked the opening of the eighth week of the steel strike here. Observers estimated that 2,000 additional workers returned to the steel plants today.

DECREASE DRY LEAD.

By Associated Press.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 10.—The fate of the federal prohibition amendment was made more uncertain today, additional returns in 86 of 88 counties giving the dries a lead of only 45.

BLIZZARD RAGING TODAY.

By Associated Press.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 10.—Western Minnesota and eastern North Dakota are in the blizzard belt today. Snow driven by a 25-mile wind prevailed throughout the night and continued to fall today.

AGED PIONEER DEAD.

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Nov. 10.—B. C. Rhoma, a pioneer of Texas 76 years old, among the first to replace Texas longhorns with rich breeds, died here today.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETS.

By Associated Press.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 10.—To give the American Legion permanent shape and declare its policies as a force in the social and governmental life of the nation, 2,000 delegates representing all sections and classes of service men and women started the first convention today.

WITHOUT STREET CARS.

By Associated Press.

Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Toledo entered the second day without street cars, which were all removed outside the city early Sunday by the company as the result of the ordinance passed by vote of the people Tuesday ousting the Toledo Railways and Light Company from the streets.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

An increase of several hundred in the enrollment of women students at Iowa State College has left the State Board of Education to provide \$90,000 for the construction of a new women's dormitory.

Mrs. Inez Haynes Irwin, wife of Will Irwin, the author and war correspondent, and herself the author of a number of books, has undertaken the task of writing the first history of the National Woman's Party.

In Korea, the women are taught to shun the opposite sex from their earliest girlhood. Their seclusion is carried to the utmost limit. Out of doors the women usually wear a green mantle which covers the whole countenance except the eyes. For do they willingly let even their eyes be seen.

In China, a girl who is partaking of the last meal she will eat in her father's house, previous to her marriage, sits at the table with her parents and brothers; but she must eat no more than half the bowl of rice set before her, else her departure will be followed by a continual scarcity in the domicile she is leaving.

TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received at our office on the Casino Building, Monterey, Mexico, until 11 a. m. December 10, 1919. Plans and specifications can be seen at our office in San Antonio, Texas, or at the office of the Casino, Monterey, Mexico.

ALFRED GILES CO., Architects, San Antonio, Texas.

Approved: L. C. MANUEL GONZALEZ GARCIA, Sec'y of Casino, Monterey, Mexico.

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A NOVEL ATTITUDE.

At length we have a characterization of our government which is interesting, as it comes from a set of men who have all along insisted that they were loyal and patriotic, in the face of charges that they were skating dangerously near thin ice on several occasions.

The executive council of the American Federation of Labor, an organization which numbers among its affiliated unions only four millions out of the entire population, declares that the government's action in attempting to end the strike of the coal miners through injunction proceedings is an act "so autocratic as to stagger the human mind!"

That is, this comparatively small percentage declares that the government is "autocratic" in fighting for the good of the whole as against a half-million miners!

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AIRPLANES AT MANEUVERS OVER CITY THIS MORNING

That Was the Only Attraction on "Armistice Day," and Many Observed Maneuvers of Machines.

While there was no celebration of "Armistice Day" in Laredo today by the military or civilians, nevertheless the aeroplanes stationed at the aviation camp here attracted much attention this forenoon as they flew over the city in battle formation and performed the different maneuvers that American airplanes were performing "over there" a year ago.

While it is regretted that Laredo did not stage an appropriate celebration of "Armistice Day" with all the Laredo boys and other soldiers participating, nevertheless it is a day that will be observed in the years to come, and then "our boys" will have an opportunity of observing the day as it should be observed—by again donning the uniforms that they brought back with them and parading the thoroughfares of their "own home town" in the same manner that they paraded on the battlefields "over there" in 1917-18.

COLD WEATHER FAVORABLE FOR CROPS THIS SECTION

Long Wet Spell, Followed By Sunshine and Cold, Will Cause Most Favorable Season Coming Spring.

Laredo has been experienced a touch of wintry weather during the past twenty-four hours, and while there have been no icicles and other disastrous evidences of real cold weather here, it has been just cool enough to dry out the excessive moisture resultant from the recent heavy rains, and if this kind of clear, cool weather continues for several days it will mean great activity on the part of the farming element in this section, as they will be getting their land in condition for receiving onions which will be transplanted during the coming month of December, when about 3,500 acres will be set out in Bermuda onions in this county.

With nearly sixty inches of rain during the past year or less the condition of the soil in these parts is in better shape at this time than ever before, and while the surface needs drying to admit of plowing and fertilizing, there will be sufficient moisture in the ground to last for some time, and with rain certain again before the end of the year, there could be no brighter prospects for all kinds of crops the coming season than at present prevail, and unless pests of various kinds and a severe winter raise havoc with onions and other crops, the indications are that next spring will witness one of the most bounteous yields and profitable seasons experienced here in years.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

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United States Court for the Southern District of Texas, which convened in this city yesterday morning, devoted the entire day and part of this morning to the hearing of testimony in the case of F. Marroquin vs. Wormser Brothers. In addition to this the grand jury brought in four bills of indictment, as follows: United States vs. Carlos Ramirez and Albino Treviño, receiving, concealing, selling and smuggling merchandise; Felix Gonzales and E. L. Gonzales, same charge; Antonio Hernandez, same charge; Maria Ramirez, smuggling.

Final citizenship papers were granted by the court yesterday afternoon to the following persons: Benjamin Garcia Salinas, a native of Mexico; Jesse Dorrington, a subject of Great Britain; Alexander Hamilton Nunn, a subject of Great Britain. The Marroquin vs. Wormser Bros. case, which consumed the time of federal court throughout yesterday, was finished this forenoon, when the arguments were concluded and the case went to the jury shortly after 11 o'clock.

The grand jury this forenoon returned another batch of indictments and this afternoon the court will be busy with various criminal cases, including numerous cases for violation of the customs or immigration laws.

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There Are Other Laredo People Similarly Situated.

E. T. Lesterjette, 1818 Sta. Maria Ave., Laredo, says: "Several years ago I was annoyed by the irregular action of my kidneys, and my back ached. When I stooped over, I could hardly raise up again, and I had dizzy spells and black specks before my eyes. My kidneys didn't act right and I had to get up often at night to pass the secretions, which were highly colored and burned. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills through a friend and decided to try them. Doan's relieved me from the start, and after taking two boxes, my back was strong and my kidneys acted as regularly as ever."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lesterjette had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Attention Elks!

There will be a regular meeting of the Elks at their hall this evening beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

A. B. MULLER, Secretary.

Notice to Hunters.

Account existing conditions hunting in Jarra, Barcoito, Burritos, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS, 10-31-2m.

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT GIVES ADVICE TO FARMERS

Information of Interest Regarding How They Can Get Cotton Seed for Next Season's Planting.

The following circular letter, being sent out by the State Department of Agriculture from its headquarters in Austin, signed by J. W. Neill, director of Farmers' Institutes, and T. S. Minter, director of Bureau of Markets, is of vital interest to the cotton growers of Webb county, and in fact every other section of Texas. The letter in part says:

"The State Department of Agriculture is receiving many letters asking where cotton seed may be bought for next year's planting.

"These inquiries come as a result of excessive rains which have ruined the germinating qualities of many thousands of tons of seed and unless farmers get their cotton seed now and store them, it is almost certain that not enough seed can be had next spring to plant a normal acreage.

"Therefore, we are writing this letter to the members of the farmers' institutes, urging them to buy their cotton seed this fall, if they need any, for fear that they may not be able to buy them at all next spring.

"Again, if you have good seed for sale, write T. S. Minter, Director of Bureau of Markets, Austin, giving him the variety, quantity and quality of the seed you have for sale and he will list your offering in the Market Journal free and otherwise assist you in finding a market for same.

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"Bear in mind that we do not handle any one's money nor the seeds offered. We simply put the buyer and seller in direct communication with each other."

LEST WE FORGET.

Do you remember one year ago today The whole world turned to sunshine, And tears were brushed away? Flags were flying, bands were playing—

Silence prevailed on the firing line; And through a sky-blackened by clouds of war, Creeps a golden light that shines afar—

Peace, Honor and Liberty be thine.

And for those who sleep 'neath foreign soil, We breathe a prayer once more—

Dear lads we'll not forget you, Though the thunder of battle is o'er, And as we gaze at the twinkling stars at night—

Blue stars that have turned to gold, You died for a cause that was just and right

For freedom of the world, to have and hold.

—Mrs. L. V. Jambers.

The first annual reunion and dinner of the United States war aviators is to be held in New York City tonight and will be featured by the distribution of prizes to the winners of the recent transcontinental air race.

TWO TWENTY-ROUND BOUTS IN NUEVO LAREDO ON SUNDAY

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Arrangements Completed Today Between Guy Turpin and Nuevo Laredo Officials for Big Fights.

Arrangements have been finally perfected between Guy Turpin, fight promoter of San Antonio, and the municipal and bullfight arena management of Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, whereby a big fight card will be staged in the Nuevo Laredo bullfight arena on Sunday, November 16, when there will be two six-round preliminaries between Laredo boxing artists and two big twenty-round bouts, one between Willie Moody, lightweight of Springfield, Mo., and Jose Garcia, known as "El Gato," a well known Cuban lightweight, and the other fight will be between "Kid" Poncho, of San Antonio, flyweight



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The four bouts will take place in the bullfight arena in Nuevo Laredo starting promptly at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Several weeks ago arrangements were pending between Guy Turpin and the Nuevo Laredo officials for several big bouts, but owing to some misunderstanding about matters pertaining to the fight card arrangements were not completed.

Turpin is now in Laredo accompanied by "Kid" Poncho and the necessary papers have been signed and everything is in readiness for what promises to be one of the best mills ever staged on this portion of the Mexican border. A large number of tight fans from San Antonio are expected to reach here on Sunday morning's train to be on hand to witness the fights on Sunday afternoon.

A contract has been closed with a motion picture concern to get movies of the two feature twenty-round bouts between Moody and Garcia, the lightweights, and Poncho and Brown, the flyweights.

Notice to Patrons.

On account of moving the dairy to the ranch, I will be compelled to miss my delivery tomorrow morning, but will deliver milk in the afternoon.

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C. A. Smith, Prop.

Churches Moving Forward.

Laredo churches are keeping pace with city development. The Methodist church has made its Pastor's salary \$2,100 for the coming year, and their part of the Presiding Elders' salaries \$2,370. Three hundred of this is paid by the Home Mission Board and two thousand and seventy by the local church. This is taking the proper step for a church in a city like Laredo. A man who can achieve success in any of our Laredo churches as pastor could make good in any walk of life. The city is developing, and the churches should stand in the fore-front and do their part in every good word and work. To do this they must have men in the lead, men who can do things, and men who are paid living salary. We are glad to note this new forward step, and hope every church in the city will fall in line. Our ministers are all good men and deserve more, much more than they will ever get in the ministry.

LOCAL NEWS

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District court was still occupied with the trial of the civil suit of Neblett vs. O'Meara this morning, the case having been on trial in that tribunal since last Thursday morning.

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County: Greeting.

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To all persons interested in the Estate of Joseph Steffian Lowry and Daniel Boone Lowry, minors: W. E. Lowry was, by the County Court of Webb County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the Estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday of November, A. D. 1919, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

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Witness, J. A. Rodriguez, Clerk of the County Court of Webb County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Laredo, Texas, this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1919.

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NOVEMBER 11.

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the national joy smoke

ROLLING your own cigarettes with Prince Albert is just about as joy'us a sideline as you ever carried around in your grip! For, take it at any angle, you never got such quality, flavor, fragrance and coolness in a makin' cigarette in your life as every "P. A. home-made" will present you!

Prince Albert puts new smokenotions under your bonnet! It's so delightful rolled into a cigarette—and, so easy to roll! And, you just take to it like you been doing it since away back! You see, P. A. is crimp cut and a cinch to handle! It stays put—and you don't lose a lot when you start to hug the paper around the tobacco!

You'll like Prince Albert in a jimmy pipe as much as you do in a home-rolled cigarette, too! Bite and parch are cut out by our exclusive patented process. You know P. A. is the tobacco that has led three men to smoke pipes where one was smoked before. Yes sir, Prince Albert blazed the way. And, me-o-my what a wad of smokesport will ripple your way every time you fill up!

Awaiting your say-so, you'll find tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome round and half pound tin humidors—and that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moisture top that keeps Prince Albert in such perfect condition!

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company Winston-Salem, N. C.



AIRPLANES AT MANUEVERS OVER CITY THIS MORNING

That Was the Only Attraction on "Armistice Day," and Many Observed Maneuvers of Machines.

While there was no celebration of "Armistice Day" in Laredo today by the military or civilians, nevertheless the aeroplanes stationed at the aviation camp here attracted much attention this forenoon as they flew over the city in battle formation and performed the different maneuvers that American airplanes were performing "over there" a year ago.

While it is regretted that Laredo did not stage an appropriate celebration of "Armistice Day" with all the Laredo boys and other soldiers participating, nevertheless it is a day that will be observed in the years to come, and then "our boys" will have an opportunity of observing the day as it should be observed—by again donning the uniforms that they brought back with them and parading the thoroughfares of their "own home town" in the same manner that they paraded on the battlefields "over there" in 1917-18.

COLD WEATHER FAVORABLE FOR CROPS THIS SECTION

Long Wet Spell, Followed By Sunshine and Cold, Will Cause Most Favorable Season Coming Spring.

Laredo has been experienced a touch of wintry weather during the past twenty-four hours, and while there have been no icicles and other disastrous evidences of real cold weather here, it has been just cool enough to dry out the excessive moisture resultant from the recent heavy rains, and if this kind of clear, cool weather continues for several days it will mean great activity on the part of the farming element in this section, as they will be getting their land in condition for receiving onions which will be transplanted during the coming month of December, when about 3,500 acres will be set out in Bermuda onions in this county.

With nearly sixty inches of rain during the past year or less the condition of the soil in these parts is in better shape at this time than ever before, and while the surface needs drying to admit of plowing and fertilizing, there will be sufficient moisture in the ground to last for some time, and with rain certain again before the end of the year, there could be no brighter prospects for all kinds of crops the coming season than at present prevail, and unless pests of various kinds and a severe winter raise havoc with onions and other crops, the indications are that next spring will witness one of the most bounteous yields and profitable seasons experienced here in years.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

MARROQUIN-WORMSER CASE CONSUMED MUCH TIME COURT

Arguments Finished This Forenoon, and Case Went to Jury After 11 O'clock; Other Cases Called.

United States Court for the Southern District of Texas, which convened in this city yesterday morning, devoted the entire day and part of this morning to the hearing of testimony in the case of P. Marroquin vs. Wormser Brothers. In addition to this the grand jury brought in four bills of indictment, as follows: United States vs. Carlos Ramirez and Albino Trevino, receiving, concealing, selling and smuggling merchandise; Felix Gonzales and E. L. Gonzales, same charge; Antonio Hernandez, same charge; Maria Ramirez, smuggling.

Final citizenship papers were granted by the court yesterday afternoon to the following persons: Benjamin Garcia Salinas, a native of Mexico; Jesse Dorrington, a subject of Great Britain; Alexander Hamilton Nunn, a subject of Great Britain.

The Marroquin vs. Wormser Bros. case, which consumed the time of federal court throughout yesterday, was finished this forenoon, when the arguments were concluded and the case went to the jury shortly after 11 o'clock.

The grand jury this forenoon returned another batch of indictments and this afternoon the court will be busy with various criminal cases, including numerous cases for violation of the customs or immigration laws.

NOT THE ONLY ONE

There Are Other Laredo People Similarly Situated.

E. T. Lesterjette, 1818 Sta. Maria Ave., Laredo, says: "Several years ago I was annoyed by the irregular action of my kidneys, and my back ached. When I stooped over, I could hardly raise up again, and I had dizzy spells and black specks before my eyes. My kidneys didn't act right and I had to get up often at night to pass the secretions, which were highly colored and burned. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills through a friend and decided to try them. Doan's relieved me from the start, and after taking two boxes, my back was strong and my kidneys acted as regularly as ever."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lesterjette had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Attention Elks! There will be a regular meeting of the Elks at their hall this evening beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

A. B. MULLER, Secretary.

Notice to Hunters. Account existing conditions hunting in Jarrai, Barrocoito, Barrios, Tortuga and La Mota pastures will be detrimental to interests of owners of cattle therein, so will ask that no requests be made of me for hunting permits.

J. D. JENNINGS.

10-31-2m.

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT GIVES ADVICE TO FARMERS

Information of Interest Regarding How They Can Get Cotton Seed for Next Season's Planting.

The following circular letter, being sent out by the State Department of Agriculture from its headquarters in Austin, signed by J. W. Neill, director of Farmers' Institutes, and T. S. Minter, director of Bureau of Markets, is of vital interest to the cotton growers of Webb county, and in fact every other section of Texas. The letter in part says:

"The State Department of Agriculture is receiving many letters asking where cotton seed may be bought for next year's planting."

"These inquiries come as a result of excessive rains which have ruined the germinating qualities of many thousands of tons of seed and unless farmers get their cotton seed now and store them, it is almost certain that not enough seed can be had next spring to plant a normal acreage."

"Therefore, we are writing this letter to the members of the farmers' institutes, urging them to buy their cotton seed this fall, if they need any, for fear that they may not be able to buy them at all next spring."

"Again, if you have good sound seed for sale, write T. S. Minter, Director of Bureau of Markets, Austin, giving him the variety, quantity and quality of the seed you have for sale and he will list your offering in the Market Journal free and otherwise assist you in finding a market for same."

"If you wish to buy cotton seed for next year's planting, write Mr. Minter and he will give you a list of those who may have seed for sale."

"Bear in mind that we do not handle any one's money nor the seeds offered. We simply put the buyer and seller in direct communication with each other."

LEST WE FORGET.

Do you remember one year ago today the whole world turned to sunshine. And tears were brushed away? Flags were flying, bands were playing—

Silence prevailed on the firing line; And through a sky blackened by clouds of war, Creeps a golden light that shines afar— Peace, Honor and Liberty be thine.

And for those who sleep "neath foreign soil,

We breathe a prayer once more— Dear lads we'll not forget you, Though the thunder of battle is o'er, And as we gaze at the twinkling stars at night—

Blue stars that have turned to gold, You died for a cause that was just and right For freedom of the world, to have and hold.

—Mrs. L. V. Jambers.

The first annual reunion and dinner of the United States war aviators is to be held in New York City to night and will be featured by the distribution of prizes to the winners of the recent transcontinental air race.

TWO TWENTY-ROUND BOUTS IN NUEVO LAREDO ON SUNDAY

MOODY-GARCIA AND PONCHO-BROWN MILLS WILL TAKE PLACE

Arrangements Completed Today Between Guy Turpin and Nuevo Laredo Officials for Big Fights.

Arrangements have been finally perfected between Guy Turpin, fight promoter of San Antonio, and the municipal and bullfight arena management of Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, whereby a big fight card will be staged in the Nuevo Laredo bullfight arena on Sunday, November 16, when there will be two six-round preliminaries between Laredo boxing artists and two big twenty-round bouts, one between Willie Moody, lightweight of Springfield, Mo., and Jose Garcia, known as "El Gato," a well known Cuban lightweight, and the other fight will be between "Kid" Poncho, of San Antonio, flyweight



JOSE GARCIA, "El Gato," Cuban Lightweight.

champion of Texas, and "Knockout" Brown of Houston, who will try to wrest the laurels from Poncho during the twenty-round bout.

The four bouts will take place in the bullfight arena in Nuevo Laredo starting promptly at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Several weeks ago arrangements were pending between Guy Turpin and the Nuevo Laredo officials for several big bouts, but owing to some misunderstanding about matters pertaining to the fight card arrangements were not completed.

Turpin is now in Laredo accompanied by "Kid" Poncho and the necessary papers have been signed and everything is in readiness for what promises to be one of the best mills ever staged on this portion of the Mexican border. A large number of fight fans from San Antonio are expected to reach here on Sunday morning's train to be on hand to witness the fights on Sunday afternoon.

A contract has been closed with a motion picture concern to get movies of the two feature twenty-round bouts between Moody and Garcia, the lightweights, and Poncho and Brown, the flyweights.

Notice to Patrons.

On account of moving the dairy to the ranch, I will be compelled to miss my delivery tomorrow morning, but will deliver milk in the afternoon.

BECKER JERSEY DAIRY, C. A. Smith, Prop.

Churches Moving Forward.

Laredo churches are keeping pace with city development. The Methodist church has made its Pastor's salary \$2,100 for the coming year, and their part of the Presiding Elders \$270, thus making their minister's salaries \$2,370. Three hundred of this is paid by the Home Mission Board and two thousand and seventy by the local church. This is taking the proper step for a church in a city like Laredo. A man who can achieve success in any of our Laredo churches as pastor could make good in any walk of life. The city is developing, and the churches should stand in the forefront and do their part in every good word and work. To do this they must have men in the lead, men who can do things, and men who are paid living salary. We are glad to note this new forward step, and hope every church in the city will fall in line. Our ministers are all good men and deserve more, much more than they will ever get in the ministry.

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon. One carload of silver, one carload of baskets, one carload of textile, one carload of dried peas and one carload of bones.

This is "Armistice Day," the first anniversary of the cessation of hostilities "over there," and Laredo is observing the day in true style—a genuine armistice in business lines, with banks and all federal branches, except federal court, observing the day, while the schools have also taken a holiday.

There will be a big fight fest staged in Nuevo Laredo's bullring on next Sunday afternoon, when there will be two preliminary bouts of six rounds each and two twenty-round bouts between Moody and Garcia, lightweights, and Poncho and Brown, two wee flyweights.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: William Nedico and Miss Severina Juarez, Rodolfo V. Garcia and Miss Concepcion Escalante, David O. Gallagher and Miss Aurora de la Garza.

District court was still occupied with the trial of the civil suit of Neblett vs. O'Meara this morning, the case having been on trial in that tribunal since last Thursday morning.

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Webb, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Appointment of Temporary Guardian.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Joseph Steffian Lowry and Daniel Boone Lowry, minors: W. E. Lowry was, by the County Court of Webb County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the Estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in November, A. D. 1919, the same being the 17th day of November, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. A. Rodriguez, Clerk of the County Court of Webb County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Laredo, Texas, this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1919.

Attest: J. A. RODRIGUEZ,

Clerk Co. Court, Webb Co., Texas.

Came to hand this 3rd day of November, A. D. 1919, at 5:30 P. M. and ordered published in the Laredo Daily Times.

ANTONIO Salinas,

Sheriff, Webb County, Texas.

By F. H. LIGARD, Deputy.

***** IN THE DAY'S NEWS. *****

NOVEMBER 11.

Edmund T. Perkins of Chicago, who will preside over the annual convention of the National Drainage Congress which is to meet at St. Louis today, is a celebrated engineer who has made a specialty of land irrigation and reclamation. A native of Virginia and a graduate of Union College, Mr. Perkins began his professional career as a topographer for the United States Geological Survey in 1885.

For a quarter of a century he remained in the Government service, during the latter part of this period being employed as an engineer in the U. S. Reclamation Service. One of his most notable achievements was the laying out of a 300-mile system of wagon roads in the mountains and unexplored regions of Idaho. He has been prominent in the affairs of the American Reclamation Federation and the Florida Everglades Engineering Commission, as well as the National Drainage Congress.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! It's only a cold." as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo this morning: Two carloads of baskets and one carload of cotton seed cake.

The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertani Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

11-3-1m.
The play at the Royal last night, with Louis Bannison in "A Misfit," was a rich comedy-drama, telling how a cowboy suddenly was called to rule a castle in England as heir of his grandfather, and what took place after the "knight of the plains" got among the aristocrats was laughter provoking until the end, when he decided to go back on a ranch in Wyoming among real folks.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent. 10-14-1m.

The commissioners' court, which convened in regular session here on Monday morning, is still busy transacting routine business and also giving some attention to road matters.

We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-1f.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Guadalupe Flores and Miss Ambrosia Rodriguez, Juan Cortez and Miss Manuela Rubio.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

A committee appointed by the Laredo Lodge of Elks is now at work arranging a program for the observance of their annual memorial day, which will be held with appropriate services at their hall on Sunday afternoon, December 7.

The Belmont Rooms and apartments. 602 Main Ave. Phone 576 or 1017. 6-20-1f.

District court is still in session in Laredo, but there was nothing doing in that tribunal this morning. Some cases set for later in the week will be taken up at the time at which they are set.

We paint automobiles, also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202. 6-15-1f.

Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office, residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 348. 4-27-1f.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women and men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep them fit. 10c and 25c.

NUEVO LAREDO'S FIGHT CARD INTERESTING LOCAL SPORTS

Two Big Twenty-Round Bouts Across the Boundary Line Next Sunday Afternoon Will Attract Crowds.

Much interest is manifested in Laredo in the fight card to be staged in the bullring arena in Nuevo Laredo on next Sunday afternoon under the direction of Guy Turpin, the San Antonio, promoter, who yesterday closed negotiations with the Nuevo Laredo officials and bullring management for the pulling off of two 20-round boxing matches, one between Willie Moody, a Missouri lightweight, and Jose Garcia, the Cuban bantam, and the other between "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, and "Kid" Brown of Houston.

Both fights promise to be full of ginger from the start to the finish and will go the full twenty rounds each unless a knockout comes before that time. Preceding the big fights there will be two six-round preliminaries between boxers to be selected by the Knights of Columbus War Activities in this city, and they say that some real gingery work will result in the prelims also.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Violet S. Oberfeldt, Society Editor

Phone 70 Phone 43

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.

Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain at bridge at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of the latter.

The Parish Guild will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday.

Circle C. W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Irwin on Salinas avenue at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Circle D. W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. Sallee in the afternoon.

The Thursday Bridge Club will be entertained by Miss Eva Levi in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Shadow Liner.

The Shadow Liner leaves her dock for Slumberland at eight—Come in, come in, my little child, and close the door and gate.

The sweetest ship of all the fleet, and there is room for you Right on the upper deck beneath the starry vault of blue.

The Shadow Liner waves and rocks, but such a gentle way You never know you've left the wharf until you're down the bay;

And there the drowsy breezes blow and all the air's so fine, Your little eyes are closed, your arms are round this neck of mine.

Oh, Shadow Liner bear her safe upon the seas of rest Where never any storms shall break above her dreamful breast.

And where the morning light shall come to touch her little cheeks And kiss the roses of her lips where love eternal speaks!

—B. B. in Baltimore Sun.

General Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Watson, who have occupied the Millar cottage during the summer, are moving to their new home in South Laredo this week.

Mrs. Embrey of Dallas is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Sallee.

Mr. Rieser and daughter, Emma, left last night for New York, where they will make their home. Mr. Rieser has a host of friends in Laredo who regret to see him leave. He was in charge of the work of the Jewish Welfare Board on the border.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartell of Galveston, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Kate Winston, have returned home.

Mrs. Roderick Dew is in San Antonio visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred H. Baird. She will arrive in Laredo in the near future to be the guest of friends.

Mr. Eugene Mains of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit to Mrs. Howard Mains. He reports his brother Howard as improving very much recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Rourke and two children of Temple, Texas, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. O'Rourke's mother, Mrs. L. C. Everitt.

Rev. Chas. W. Cook returned yesterday from a extended trip to the North and East.

Announcements.
Mrs. H. L. Guinn will entertain with a party this afternoon complementing a number of young friends in honor of her little daughter Margaret.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Danneley at 1111 Grant street on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Junior Auxiliary.
The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church met yesterday afternoon at the Rectory with Mrs. C. W. Cook. The usual service at the church was held, during which time Rev. C. W. Cook gave them a most interesting talk on the convention at Detroit and spoke of the bishops they had studied about, also about the exhibition of the Junior Auxiliary. The building used for this exhibition occupies a block of ground. The members are studying China and next week Mr. Cook will address them on that subject. Those present were: Mary Anderson, Kathleen Aldridge, Elizabeth and Charline Nye, Jamie Ward, Anita and Ethel Laue, Edna Tarver, Evelyn Randolph, Buster Randolph, Marjorie Fish, Mary and Ralph Cook, Mitchell and Maurice Shahady and Leona Piton. After seeing the Junior Auxiliary exhibit in Detroit, Mr. Cook has a number of ideas that can be worked out by the Juniors in Laredo.

Mrs. G. C. Hiatt Honored.
Mrs. G. C. Hiatt and little daughter, who have been visiting relatives in Indiana for the past two months, will return in the morning. While away Mrs. Hiatt was the honoree of a number of delightful hospitalities. The following clipping, taken from the Winchester Indiana, Democrat, will be of interest to friends:

One of the very delightful October affairs was the lovely party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. J. E. Hinshaw and Mrs. Grace Griffin at the Hinshaw home in South Meridian street, honoring their sister-in-law, Mrs. G. C. Hiatt of Texas, who has been spending a month visiting relatives in this city. The gracious hospitality of the two hostesses, the charming personality of the honor guest, and the congenial social harmony of the large number of invited guests made it an occasion long to be remembered. Miss Ruth Hinshaw, who has developed a remarkable talent for the piano, contributed several selections, to the delight of all. Mrs. Hinshaw and Mrs. Griffin, assisted by Miss Ruth Hinshaw and Miss Marjorie Hiatt, served a delicious luncheon. Those who attended the party from out of the city were Mrs. Charles Snell, Mrs. Will Yergen, Mrs. Frank Brannan, Mrs. Nettie White, Misses Clara and Nettie Richter, of Union City; Mrs. Addie Webb and daughter and Mrs. W. E. Hiatt and two daughters of Richmond, and Mrs. J. Searle of Indianapolis.

Armistice Day Entertainment.
The first entertainment at Fort McIntosh under the auspices of the Army took place last night at Fort McIntosh Auditorium (formerly the Y. M. C. A. building). A well mixed program was arranged with singing and a grand wind-up with boxing and wrestling in which Poncho, the well known featherweight champion boxer from San Antonio, performed and gave one of the best exhibitions of the many art that was ever shown in Laredo or Fort McIntosh.

The first to appear on the program was Mrs. Anderson, who favored the audience with a beautiful solo, followed by Mrs. Hamilton, also with a beautiful solo, and next Mrs. Culinan, whose voice has been heard many times before by the people of Laredo and the soldiers of Fort McIntosh, and who also sang a beautiful solo. The musical entertainment wound up with the famous ukulele trio, consisting of Misses Ryan, Taylor and Wiggins, who were encored three times by the audience.

Next on the program came the boxers, the first bout between Knockout Hanson of the M. T. C. vs. Battling Taylor of Co. B. 37th Inf., followed by a clean wrestling match between Privs. Wright vs. Patchett, both from the Aviation Field on the Heights. The final exhibition of boxing between Kid Poncho vs. Rogers, Co. D. 37th Inf., who out-weighted the little boxer by nineteen pounds, besides being a clever exhibition of boxing proved an excellent workout for Poncho prior to his hard bout in Nuevo Laredo next Sunday, when he meets Knockout Brown of New York in a twenty-round go.

The program was cleverly arranged within the short period of 24 hours and those responsible for its success are the following: Mrs. Cuff, newly appointed hostess at Fort McIntosh, and Mr. Padden, formerly with the K. of C., now with the government service.

—Contributed.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Strong, who commanded the 40th Division in the late war, will be retired from the United States Army today for age.

Many prominent educators are to gather in Washington today to attend the inauguration of Dr. J. Stanley Durkes as president of Howard University.

Important problems are scheduled to come before the National Industrial Traffic League at its annual meeting to open in Chicago today.

The annual meeting of the American Society for Municipal Improvements will open at New Orleans today and continue in session until Friday.

A call has been issued for a conference to meet in Chicago today for the purpose of forming a national federation of State farmers' organizations.

The first direct steamship service between Great Britain and Hayti since 1899 is to be inaugurated today with the departure of the steamship Conway from London for Haytian ports.

The old house in Prince Street, New York City, where President James Monroe spent his last day and where his death occurred in 1815, is to be offered for sale at public auction today.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight fair; colder; cold wave; temperature 24 to 32. Thursday fair.

Local Weather Report.
The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 70 degs.
Min. temp. 47 degs.
General direction of wind: North-east.
Clear.

CLASSIFIED ADS

1 cent per word for Rent, Found, For Sale, Lost or Exchange.

For Sale or Rent:—Rooms, apartments, bungalows, hotels, lots, blocks J. Maxcy Pace, 920 Salinas Ave. Phone 576. 4-4-1f.

LOANS on ranch lands, ten thousand dollars up, interest seven to eight per cent. A. C. Hamilton. 7-12-1f.

For Rent:—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 1301 Iturbide street (upstairs.) 10-14-1f.

For Sale:—New Royal piano in good condition. Inquire 19 Iturbide street. 11-4-10f.

Wanted:—I am in the market for tracts of land from one to five thousand acres in Starr and Zapata counties. Titles must be clear. Address: J. H. McKay, 227 W. Florida St., San Antonio, Texas. 11-8-7f.

For Sale:—Chrysanthemums. Phone 849. 11-10-7f.

For Rent:—Office space. 1217 Farragut street. Phone 1403. 11-11-5f.

Wanted:—An office boy. 1217 Farragut street. Phone 1403. 11-11-5f.

Lost:—Ladies dinner ring set with seed pearls and amethysts. Reward of five dollars will be paid for its return to this office. 11-12-4f.

NATIONAL W. C. T. U.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12.—White ribbons fluttered in St. Louis today. Women of every creed and station, wearing the snowy badge of the W. C. T. U. attached to emblems from the various States, poured into the city on every train. They are the delegates to the annual national convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the sessions of which will begin tomorrow and continue an entire week.

The convention promises to be one of the most notable in the history of the well-known organization. It will be in the nature of a jubilation over the nation-wide prohibition victory, for which the members have striven so long and faithfully. Combined with the jubilee will be a celebration of the forty-fifth anniversary of the W. C. T. U., which was first organized at a conference held in Cleveland in 1874.

With the main objection for which the society was organized now about to become an accomplished fact, the coming convention will consider a program for its future work along various lines of social endeavor. The nature of its future activities is indicated by the list of subjects scheduled for consideration by the convention. These include Americanization, child welfare, and young people's welfare.

DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA

Use Soothing Musterole

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on your temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.

Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.

30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

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Mayor Juan M. Barrera Resigns as Mayor to Become Candidate for Office at Ensuing Election.

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The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertani Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

The play at the Royal last night, with Louis Bannison in "A Misty Earl," was a rich comedy-drama, telling how a cowboy suddenly was called to rule a castle in England as heir of his grandfather, and what took place after the "knight of the plains" got among the aristocrats was laughter provoking until the end, when he decided to go back on a ranch in Wyoming among real folks.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent.

The commissioners' court, which convened in regular session here on Monday morning, is still busy transacting routine business and also giving some attention to road matters.

We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. B. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-11.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Guadalupe Flores and Miss Ambrosia Rodriguez, Juan Cortez and Miss Manuela Rubio.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-11.

A committee appointed by the Laredo Lodge of Elks is now at work arranging a program for the observance of their annual memorial day, which will be held with appropriate services at their hall on Sunday afternoon, December 7.

The Belmont rooms and apartments, 602 Main Ave. Phone 576 or 1017.

District court is still in session in Laredo, but there was nothing doing in that tribunal this morning. Some cases set for later in the week will be taken up at the time at which they are set.

We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202. 6-15-11.

Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office; residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 348. 4-27-11.

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Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

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NUEVO LAREDO'S FIGHT CARD INTERESTING LOCAL SPORTS

Two Big Twenty-Round Bouts Across the Boundary Line Next Sunday Afternoon Will Attract Crowds.

Much interest is manifested in Laredo in the fight card to be staged in the bullring arena in Nuevo Laredo on next Sunday afternoon under the direction of Guy Turpin, the San Antonio promoter, who yesterday closed negotiations with the Nuevo Laredo officials and bullring management for the pulling off of two 20-round boxing matches, one between Willie Moody, a Missouri lightweight, and Jose Garcia, the Cuban battler, and the other between "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, and "Kid" Brown of Houston.

Both fights promise to be full of ginger from the start to the finish and will go the full twenty rounds each unless a knockout comes before that time. Preceding the big fights there will be two six-round preliminaries between boxers to be selected by the Knights of Columbus War Activities in this city, and they say that some real gingery work will result in the preliminaries also.



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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.

Mrs. L. A. Morrow and Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain at bridge at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of the latter.

The Parish Guild will meet with Mrs. H. W. Johnston at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Thursday.

Circle C. W. M. U. of the Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Irwin on Salinas avenue at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Circle D. W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. Sallee in the afternoon.

The Thursday Bridge Club will be entertained by Miss Eva Levi in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Shadow Liner.

The Shadow Liner leaves her dock for Shumland at eight—Come in, come in, my little child, and close the door and gate.

The sweetest ship of all the fleet, and there is room for you Right on the upper deck beneath the starry vault of blue.

The Shadow Liner waves and rocks, but such a gentle way You never know you've left the wharf until you're down the bay;

And there the drowsy breezes blow and all the air's so fine, Your little eyes are closed, your arms are round this neck of mine.

Oh, Shadow Liner bear her safe upon the seas of rest Where never any storms shall break above her dreamful breast,

And where the morning light shall come to touch her little cheeks And kiss the roses of her lips where love eternal peaks!

—B. B. in Baltimore Sun.

General Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Watson, who have occupied the Millar cottage during the summer, are moving to their new home in South Laredo this week.

Mrs. Embrey of Dallas is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. M. Sallee.

Mr. Rieser and daughter, Emma, left last night for New York, where they will make their home. Mr. Rieser has a host of friends in Laredo who regret to see him leave. He was in charge of the work of the Jewish Welfare Board on the border.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartell of Galveston, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Kate Winston, have returned home.

Mrs. Roderick Dew is in San Antonio visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred H. Baird. She will arrive in Laredo in the near future to be the guest of friends.

Mr. Eugene Mains of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit to Mrs. Howard Mains. He reports his brother Howard as improving very much recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Rourke and two children of Temple, Texas, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. O'Rourke's mother, Mrs. L. C. Everett.

Rev. Chas. W. Cook returned yesterday from an extended trip to the North and East.

Announcements.

Mrs. H. L. Guinn will entertain with a party this afternoon complimenting a number of young friends in honor of her little daughter Margaret.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Dannelley at 1111 Grant street on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Junior Auxiliary.

The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church met yesterday afternoon at the Rectory with Mrs. C. W. Cook. The usual service at the church was held, during which time Rev. C. W. Cook gave them a most interesting talk on the convention at Detroit and spoke of the bishops they had studied about, also about the exhibition of the Junior Auxiliary. The building used for this exhibition occupies a block of ground. The members are studying China and next week Mr. Cook will address them on that subject. Those present were: Mary Anderson, Kathleen Aldridge, Elizabeth and Kathleen Nye, Jamie Ward, Anita and Ethel Lane, Edna Tarver, Evelyn Randolph, Buster Randolph, Marjorie Fish, Mary and Ralph Cook, Mitchell and Maurice Shahady and Leonora Piton. After seeing the Junior Auxiliary exhibit in Detroit, Mr. Cook has a number of ideas that can be worked out by the Juniors in Laredo.

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One of the very delightful October affairs was the lovely party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. J. E. Hinshaw and Mrs. Grace Griffin at the Hinshaw home in South Meridian street, honoring their sister-in-law, Mrs. G. C. Hiatt of Texas, who has been spending a month visiting relatives in this city. The gracious hospitality of the two hostesses, the charming personality of the honor guest, and the congenial social harmony of the large number of invited guests made it an occasion long to be remembered. Miss Ruth Hinshaw, who has developed a remarkable talent for the piano, contributed several selections, to the delight of all. Mrs. Hinshaw and Mrs. Griffin, assisted by Miss Ruth Hinshaw and Miss Marjorie Hiatt, served a delicious luncheon. Those who attended the party from out of the city were Mrs. Charles Snell, Mrs. Will Yergen, Mrs. Frank Brannan, Mrs. Nettie White, Misses Clara and Nettie Richter, of Union City; Mrs. Adda Webb and daughter and Mrs. W. E. Hiatt and two daughters of Richmond, and Mrs. J. Searle of Indianapolis.

Armistice Day Entertainment.

The first entertainment at Fort McIntosh under the auspices of the Army took place last night at Fort McIntosh Auditorium (formerly the Y. M. C. A. building). A well mixed program was arranged with singing and a grand wind-up with boxing and wrestling in which Pocho, the well known featherweight champion boxer from San Antonio, performed and gave one of the best exhibitions of the manly art that was ever shown in Laredo or Fort McIntosh.

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—Contributed.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

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COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co. agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool. Opening—Spots fair demand; prices easier. Sales 10,000. Receipts none. Good middling 26.30 (English pence). Middling 24.80. Easter Nov. 24.72-42; Dec. 23.97-99; Jan. 23.80-29; March 22.78-25; May 22.08-21.80.

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New York.

Opening—Dec. 27.90-80; Jan. 36.75-63; March 35.60-40; May 34.60-70.

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"Well, I never expect to have a breach of promise suit of my own, but if I ever do I'm going to show just as much quiet self-possession in the court room as the judge himself."

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TO ENFORCE LAW.

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A RECONSTRUCTION CONGRESS.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—With interesting ceremonies conducted in the presence of a distinguished gathering of invited guests, Dr. J. Stanley Durkes, a Congregational clergyman of Brockton, Mass., today was formally installed as president of Howard University, succeeding Dr. Stephen M. Newman. The exercises brought to Washington representatives of many of the leading educational institutions of America, together with a number of men and women actively interested in the welfare of the negro race.

Today's inauguration is to be followed tomorrow by a "Readjustment and Reconstruction Congress," with special reference to the part that the negroes must bear to a permanent solution of present-day problems. The program as formulated calls for the discussion of many national and international problems of great importance. Health, thrift, child welfare, and the negro and the church are among the subjects that will be given attention.

Representatives of the great welfare agencies of the country, State and international boards of health, bureaus of the government, leading churches and authorities of national and international reputation have been invited to speak upon the several subjects outlined.

It is expected that out of the congress will grow the formulation of a program looking to the just settlement of the problems of reconstruction that relate particularly to the negro.

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This is no time to palter with any anarchist. We have seen what resulted in Russia from the mistaken notion that anarchists could be converted into good citizens. We should not make the same mistake. There is too much at stake in this country for us to run the risk of I. W. W. rule, even for a day. The life of any American citizen is worth more than the lives of all the vile crew who would begin their rule with an orgy of assassination. And when one thinks of what would happen to the women and children under such a rule as that of the Russian soviet, nothing more is necessary to convince all that the I. W. W. must go.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 13.

Aristide Briand, who is looked upon as a probable successor to M. Clemenceau, has already been six times Premier of France. In a country where meteoric careers are the rule, M. Briand's rise to prominence was marked by its swiftness. Two decades ago he was unknown except among the members of his own party, the Revolutionary Socialists. Beginning life as a lawyer in a small provincial town, he later went to Paris and there turned his attention to politics and to journalism rather than to law. His opportunity came when he was appointed reporter of the Church and State Separation bill. His work in this post was marked by exceptional ability and the result was his appointment as Minister of Instruction and Public Worship. Two years later he was appointed Minister of Justice, and in 1911 he became Premier for the first time. In every office to which he has been called M. Briand has displayed great ability and strength of character. He is also an orator of extraordinary power and eloquence.

GENERAL MENDOZA AND MESIO NARANJO ARE FINED

Entered Pleas of Guilty to Violation Neutrality Laws in Federal Court and Have Fines Imposed.

Among the sentences and fines imposed in federal court yesterday afternoon by Judge Hutchison in cases which had been tried, and in many of which the defendants had entered pleas of guilty, were those in the cases of General Santiago Mendoza of this city and Nemesis Garcia Naranjo of San Antonio, who on Tuesday afternoon entered pleas of guilty to violation of the neutrality laws by attempting to set on foot a military expedition against a friendly nation.

Yesterday afternoon a fine of \$500 each were imposed upon Mendoza and Naranjo, which they will pay, but there was no prison sentence assessed. The case against Alfredo Gayon, private secretary of the late General Blanquet, who was arrested about the same time last year as Mendoza and Naranjo, his arrest taking place in New York while in the employ of General Blanquet, will also probably enter a plea of guilty and pay the same fine as that imposed on the other two men who are charged with being in with him on the offense of violation of the neutrality laws of this country.

TRAINING FOR SUNDAY'S BATTLE.



"Knockout" Brown.

On next Sunday afternoon in the Bull Ring, New Laredo, the eyes of Texas fans will be centered on the outcome of two important fights, which are scheduled to be over the 20-round route.

In the first 20-round battle the little flyweight champion of Texas, Kid Poncho, will defend his title against K. O. Brown, the little Houston slugger, and this scrap is attracting more than ordinary interest. Brown has knocked out his last four opponents, while Poncho has never lost a fight in over 50 ring battles. In a letter to "Guy" Turpin the promoter, Brown says: "I will arrive there Saturday with Garcia and we are in good condition. I tried to get a match with Poncho in San Antonio but couldn't get it, so now that I have him in a 20-round fight I feel sure I'll win the title. I know I can hit and if he don't fall I am going to look and see what's holding him up."

Kid Poncho is training here and getting as fast as lightning. He doesn't anticipate any fear of Brown and says that he can always beat hard hitters quicker than clever boys. He expects a hard fight however.

Willie Moody, pride of the I. & G. N. is in shape and will arrive from San Antonio Friday. He is a wonderful fighter on the old Bat Nelson order and carries the fight to his opponent at times. In Jose Garcia he is meeting the toughest of the present day Mexican lightweights, and a fighter who can hit from any angle with stunning results. Garcia is with Brown and will arrive shortly.

This will be one of the biggest shows ever staged here, with two twenty round main events. Either fight should draw a capacity house any place in Texas.

Two good prelims will also be staged preceding the main events. Tickets are now on sale at the Torreon Exchange and Commission Co. and those wanting first row seats should buy them now as they are going fast.

EN ROUTE TO A CONFERENCE WITH BONILLAS IN NEW YORK

General Jose Agustin Castro, ex-Secretary of War and Ex-Governor Osuna Pass Through Laredo.

General Jose Agustin Castro, who served for some time as sub-secretary of war in the Carranza cabinet, but who recently resigned that portfolio and is now the campaign manager of Mexican Ambassador Ignacio Bonillas in his race for president of Mexico, arrived in Laredo yesterday afternoon accompanied by ex-Governor Andres Osuna of the state of Tamaulipas.

Both gentlemen were accompanied by their families and upon reaching this side of the Rio Grande proceeded to the Bender Hotel, where they remained until last night, when they took the train for New York, where Messrs. Castro and Osuna will hold an important conference with Ambassador Bonillas next week on matters pertaining to the presidential campaign in Mexico. As all candidates for office must be out of any public office when announcing their candidacy, it is very probable that Ambassador Bonillas will soon tender his resignation as ambassador to the Mexican government, in fact such an announcement may follow the New York conference next week.

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FEDERAL COURT NEARS END AFTER FOUR-DAY SESSION

Laredo National Bank Won Civil Suit; Numerous Other Cases Disposed of; Court May Adjourn Tomorrow.

In the federal court yesterday afternoon the civil suit of Maitland, Coppell & Co. of New York vs. the Laredo National Bank, suit for recovery on a purported forged draft for \$6,600, which had occupied the greater part of the day, went to the jury, and after that body had deliberated on the facts adduced by the testimony they brought in a verdict in favor of the Laredo National Bank.

After being in session for three days and finishing the business before them, the grand jury in federal court were discharged late yesterday afternoon. The last batch of bills were returned shortly before they were dismissed.

Several criminal cases wherein the defendants were charged with smuggling and other offenses were tried yesterday afternoon, while in some other cases previously disposed of sentences were imposed by the court. Mrs. Elizabeth Threadgill was admitted to practice in the federal court and appointed to defend her first client therein, a man charged with smuggling, whose case will probably be taken up this afternoon. In all probability the court will finish its business either this afternoon or tomorrow and adjourn for the term.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

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One trip, one person	25c
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One trip, three persons	40c
One trip, four persons	50c
After 11 p. m. and during rain, each person	25c
One hour	\$1.50

It is understood that the above tariff is for trips within the city.

JOSE NIETO

RAUL ORNELAS

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon: One carload of beer, one carload of lead, four carloads of ixite and one carload of goatskins.

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County Judge Page is in receipt of a letter from H. P. Hornby, supervisor of the census for the 15th Texas District urging him to induce eight or ten more Laredo people to apply for appointment as census enumerators in Webb county. Already there are seventeen applicants who have applied—the number required is twenty-three. Applicants are urged to apply at once.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent. 10-14-1m. —Just listen to this forecast: "Tonight, fair; freezing—probably frost!" In the vernacular of the day, "some cold." But there are may forecasts that go amiss. However, it would be well to be prepared for severe cold weather tomorrow. Now all together; call for the stove and fuel man.

We do all kinds of plumbing work, gas fitting and sewer work. Also making and repairing cess pools. For quick service phone 1203 day and night. B. Juarez, plumber. 8-12-1f. —Weather like that which prevailed this morning is of the kind that makes one feel like getting lively soon after arising for the day. It was a cold, dry norther, the kind that "goes through" one if he stands still very long after crawling out of his warm bed.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

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Back hunters will be out in force Saturday, as this kind of weather is the kind to make Johnny and his little gun hanker for sight of a big buck gibbling in some grassy spot. Besides getting buck, there is also some duck to be gotten these days, as just after a norther the ducks are thicker than ever.

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Princess Giovanni, third daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, born in Rome, 12 years ago today.

Sir Thomas White, late minister of finance in the Dominion Cabinet, born at Bronte, Ontario, 53 years ago today.

Moses Alexander, former governor of Idaho, born in Germany, 60 years ago today.

Joseph D. Eggleston, the new president of Hampton-Sidney, born in Prince Edward County, Va., 52 years ago today.

Louis D. Brandeis, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, born in Louisville, 63 years ago today.

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This is no time to dally with any anarchist. We have seen what resulted in Russia from the mistaken notion that anarchists could be converted into good citizens. We should not make the same mistake. There is too much at stake in this country for us to run the risk of I. W. W. rule, even for a day. The life of any American citizen is worth more than the lives of all the vile crew who would begin their rule with an orgy of assassination. And when one thinks of what would happen to the women and children under such a rule as that of the Russian soviet, nothing more is necessary to convince all that the I. W. W. must go.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

Aristide Briand, who is looked upon as a probable successor to M. Clemenceau, has already been six times Premier of France. In a country where meteoric careers are the rule, M. Briand's rise to prominence was marked by its swiftness. Two decades ago he was unknown except among the members of his own party, the Revolutionary Socialists. Beginning life as a lawyer in a small provincial town, he later went to Paris and there turned his attention to politics and to journalism rather than to law. His opportunity came when he was appointed reporter of the Church and State Separation bill. His work in this post was marked by exceptional ability and the result was his appointment as Minister of Instruction and Public Worship. Two years later he was appointed Minister of Justice, and in 1911 he became Premier for the first time. In every office to which he has been called M. Briand has displayed great ability and strength of character. He is also an orator of extraordinary power and eloquence.

GENERAL MENDOZA AND NEMESIO NARANJO ARE FINED

Entered Pleas of Guilty to Violation of Neutrality Laws in Federal Court and Have Fines Imposed.

Among the sentences and fines imposed in federal court yesterday afternoon by Judge Hutcheson in cases which had been tried, and in many of which the defendants had entered pleas of guilty, were those in the cases of General Santiago Garcia Mendoza of this city and Nemesio Garcia Naranjo of San Antonio, who on Tuesday afternoon entered pleas of guilty to violation of the neutrality laws by attempting to set on foot a military expedition against a friendly nation.

Yesterday afternoon a fine of \$500 each were imposed upon Mendoza and Naranjo, which they will pay, but there was no prison sentence assessed. The case against Alfredo Gayon, private secretary of the late General Blanquet, who was arrested about the same time last year as Mendoza and Naranjo, his arrest taking place in New York while in the employ of General Blanquet, will also probably enter a plea of guilty and pay the same fine as that imposed on the other two men who are charged with being in with him on the offense of violation of the neutrality laws of this country.

TRAINING FOR SUNDAY'S BATTLE.



"Knockout" Brown.

On next Sunday afternoon in the Bull Ring, New Laredo, the eyes of Texas fans will be centered on the outcome of two important fights, which are scheduled to be over the 20-round route.

In the first 20-round battle the little flyweight champion of Texas, Kid Poncho, will defend his title against K. O. Brown, the little Houston slugger, and this scrap is attracting more than ordinary interest. Brown has knocked out his last four opponents, while Poncho has never lost a fight in over 50 ring battles. In a letter to "Guy" Turpin the promoter, Brown says: "I will arrive there Saturday with Garcia and we are in good condition. I tried to get a match with Poncho in San Antonio but couldn't get it, so now that I have him in a 20-round fight I feel sure I'll win the title. I know I can hit and if he don't fall I am going to look and see what's holding him up."

Kid Poncho is training here and getting as fast as lightning. He doesn't anticipate any fear of Brown and says that he can always beat hard hitters quicker than clever boys. He expects a hard fight however.

Willie Moody, pride of the I. & G. N. is in shape and will arrive from San Antonio Friday. He is a wonderful battler on the old Bat Nelson order and carries the fight to his opponent at times. In Jose Garcia he is meeting the toughest of the present day Mexican lightweights, and a fighter who can hit from any angle with stunning results. Garcia is with Brown and will arrive shortly.

This will be one of the biggest shows ever staged here, with two twenty round main events. Either fight should draw a capacity house any place in Texas.

Two good prelims will also be staged preceding the main events. Tickets are now on sale at the Torreon Exchange and Commission Co. and those waiting first row seats should buy them now as they are going fast.

EN ROUTE TO A CONFERENCE WITH BONILLAS IN NEW YORK

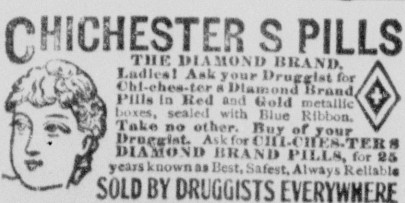
General Jose Agustin Castro, ex-Sub Secretary of War and Ex-Governor Osuna Pass Through Laredo.

General Jose Agustin Castro, who served for some time as sub-secretary of war in the Carranza cabinet, but who recently resigned that portfolio and is now the campaign manager of Mexican Ambassador Ignacio Bonillas in his race for president of Mexico, arrived in Laredo yesterday afternoon accompanied by ex-Governor Andres Osuna of the state of Tamaulipas.

Both gentlemen were accompanied by their families and upon reaching this side of the Rio Grande proceeded to the Bender Hotel, where they remained until last night, when they took the train for New York, where an important conference with Ambassador Bonillas next week on matters pertaining to the presidential campaign in Mexico. As all candidates for office must be out of any public office when announcing their candidacy, it is very probable that Ambassador Bonillas will soon tender his resignation as ambassador to the Mexican government, in fact such an announcement may follow the New York conference next week.

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FEDERAL COURT NEARS END AFTER FOUR-DAY SESSION

Laredo National Bank Won Civil Suit; Numerous Other Cases Disposed of; Court May Adjourn Tomorrow.

In the federal court yesterday afternoon the civil suit of Matland, Coppell & Co. of New York vs. the Laredo National Bank, suit for recovery on a purported forged draft for \$6,600, which had occupied the greater part of the day, went to the jury, and after that body had deliberated on the facts adduced by the testimony they brought in a verdict in favor of the Laredo National Bank.

After being in session for three days and finishing the business before them, the grand jury in federal court were discharged late yesterday afternoon. The last batch of bills were returned shortly before they were dismissed.

Several criminal cases wherein the defendants were charged with smuggling and other offenses were tried yesterday afternoon, while in some other cases previously disposed of sentences were imposed by the court.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thredgill was admitted to practice in the federal court and appointed to defend her first client therein, a man charged with smuggling, whose case will probably be taken up this afternoon. In all probability the court will finish its business either this afternoon or tomorrow and adjourn for the term.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

HAS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN FOR THE LADIES COMMITTEE

County Chairman F. Wormser of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Committee Selects Mrs. Hal W. Greer.

Ferdinand Wormser, who has been appointed chairman of Webb county for the Red Cross Christmas Seal campaign, announced today that Mrs. Hal W. Greer had been appointed chairman of the ladies committee and that there would be a meeting at the Wormser home on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when all ladies interested in having Laredo take her full quota of the Christmas Seals are urged to attend and help in the movement.

Two hundred thousand or more Red Cross Christmas Seals will be sold in Texas in December when the state seal sale opens. Every indication points to the Texas quota of \$200,000 being realized, with a surplus to enable even a more intensive fight against tuberculosis for 1920 than originally planned.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
All service cars answering phones 515 and 905, on and after Nov. 15, because of the increased prices for gasoline, tires, accessories, etc., will charge the following tariff for trips:
One trip, one person 25c
One trip, two persons 35c
One trip, three persons 40c
One trip, four persons 50c
After 11 p. m. and during rain, each person . . . 25c
One hour \$1.50
It is understood that the above tariff is for trips within the city.
JOSE NIETO RAUL ORNELAS

LOCAL NEWS

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon: One carload of beer, one carload of lead, four carloads of hite and one carload of goatskins.

The special kodak finishing department we have just installed enables us to help you make the best pictures with your camera. This new department also puts us in a position to make the best portraits obtainable in any photo gallery, as we can now give each kind of work separate and special attention. Give us a trial. Photos taken day or night. Moonlight Studio, Bertoni Bldg., Laredo, Texas. Phone 742.

County Judge Page is in receipt of a letter from H. P. Hornby, supervisor of the census for the 15th Texas District urging him to induce eight or ten more Laredo people to apply for appointment as census enumerators in Webb county. Already there are seventeen applicants who have applied—the number required is twenty-three. Applicants are urged to apply at once.

You'll get more mileage and a smoother running engine if you use Flashlite Gasoline. Try it. Humble Oil & Refining Co. Ed. Brooks, Agent. 10-14-1m.

Just listen to this forecast: "Tonight, fair; freezing—probably frost!" In the vernacular of the day, "some cold." But there are many forecasts that go amiss. However, it would be well to be prepared for severe cold weather tomorrow. Now all together, call for the stove and fuel man.

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Weather like that which prevailed this morning is of the kind that makes one feel like getting lively soon after arising for the day. It was a cold, dry norther, the kind that "goes through" one if he stands still very long after crawling out of his warm bed.

I buy and sell anything from a pin to a locomotive; this includes farms and ranches. J. L. Fierros, 302 Farragut street. 2-17-1f.

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Buck hunters will be out in force Saturday, as this kind of weather is the kind to make Johnny and his little gun hanker for sight of a big buck gamboling in some grassy spot. Besides getting buck, there is also some duck to be gotten these days, as just after a norther the ducks are thicker than ever.

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

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Duke of Marlborough, whose title is one of the most distinguished in the British peerage, born at Simla, India, 48 years ago today.
Princess Giovani, third daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, born in Rome, 12 years ago today.
Sir Thomas White, late minister of finance in the Dominion Cabinet, born at Bronte, Ontario, 53 years ago today.
Moses Alexander, former governor of Idaho, born in Germany, 60 years ago today.
Joseph D. Eggleston, the new president of Hampton-Sidney, born in Prince Edward County, Va., 52 years ago today.
Louis D. Brandeis, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, born in Louisville, 63 years ago today.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
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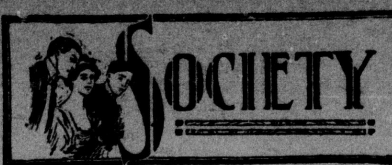
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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

* Mrs. R. B. Echols will entertain at bridge at her home, 1717 Houston street, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
* **Friday.**
* The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.
* **Saturday.**
* Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

General Mention.

Col. H. M. Taylor of San Antonio, who spent Wednesday in Laredo, has returned home. While in the city he was the guest of Mrs. H. D. Shelby.

Mrs. G. C. Hatt and little daughter are home again after a delightful two months' stay in Indiana.

Col. B. B. Buck is in San Antonio for a few days' stay.

Mr. L. A. Morrow is in San Antonio in attendance at the convocation of the Scottish Rite bodies.

Mrs. M. McLaurin has returned to San Antonio after a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wiggins.

Miss Hazel Merriman left this morning for San Antonio for a several weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hauser.

Mr. W. T. Nebitt Sr. has returned to his home in Anderson, Texas, after a week's visit to his son, Mr. W. T. Nebitt Jr.

Announcement.

The regular dance of the Community Service will take place tonight at the post, with the full 37th Infantry band furnishing the music. Everything will be done to make the affair enjoyable to all, and a cordial invitation is extended to the townspeople to attend.

Ladies Aid Society.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church held a business meeting with Mrs. Dannelley yesterday afternoon. The Bible study was led by Mrs. Neff. After the lesson was concluded and the business transacted, a pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostess served fruit salad and cake. Those present were: Mesdames Little, Earnest, Morgan, Phelps, Rodgers, Keithley, E. F. Hamilton, Millar, Worsham, Lindsay and Dannelley.

Entertainment.

One of the delightful social events of the week was the evening bridge party given by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton on Wednesday, complimenting a number of friends, the occasion being Mr. Hamilton's birthday. The decorations in the living room featured yellow and white chrysanthemums, filling artistic baskets and vases. In the dining room the same color note was reflected, giant Japanese chrysanthemums in a tall vase occupying the table. Quantities of beautiful ferns were also used. Seven tables were arranged for the players, and in the series of games of auction bridge played the ladies' high score prize, a hand-painted bonbon box, was awarded Mrs. Joe Vidales; the men's high score prize, a silver tray, was won by Mr. T. A. Leyendecker; the low score prize, a silver pencil, went to Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker. At the conclusion of the games a delicious two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The favors were dainty yellow baskets filled with yellow and white mints. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the evening were: Mrs. K. S. Hamilton, Dr. H. J. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. Sauvignat, Judge and Mrs. Greer, Dr. and Mrs. Younk, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bueh, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin, Prof. and Mrs. Mally, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Christen, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vidales, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muller, Mrs. McNeil Turner, Mrs. H. D. Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. Lafon, Miss Lucille Murphy and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton.

Thursday Bridge Club.

The members of the Thursday Bridge Club and a number of guests were delightfully entertained by Miss Eva Levi yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Wormser. The rooms were artistically decorated in white chrysanthemums and ferns. Upon the arrival of the guests a prettily appointed two-course luncheon was served. In the pleasant series of games of bridge played the club prize was won by Miss Helen MacGregor, who received a cut-glass sandwich dish. The guest prize, a lovely cut-glass sugar bowl and cream pitcher, went to Mrs. L. A. Lafon. Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Annie and Frances Alexander, Helen MacGregor, Maria Mowry, Esther Hirsch, Josephine Sauvignat and Lucille Murphy; Mesdames Joe Moser, Ira O'Meara, Witting and Wormser.

Visit of "Vatican Choir" ATTRACTS MANY VISITORS

Quite a number of Laredo people have gone to San Antonio to hear the Vatican choir sing today.

A musical treat, unequalled perhaps by any previous event of the kind in this country, is on in San Antonio this evening, when the Vatican choir, consisting of the Vatican choir, will give a twilight concert in the Alamo City before a crowd which will cause an overflow of the spacious Majestic Opera House.

From all over Texas people are going to San Antonio to hear these famous singers, and Laredo will be strongly represented there, as a number of lovers of real music left here yesterday and today for the Alamo City, having secured their seating reservations some time ago, as there are no seats to be had now.

Notice to the Public.

I have moved my dental office from my residence on the Heights to 516 Salinas avenue, upstairs in the Branman building. My office phone is No. 571.

DR. G. C. HIATT.

11-14-30.

guests—Misses Inez Hill and Betty Beene, Mesdames W. C. Nye, Jeter, Shelby, E. H. Bueh, J. S. Penn, Buck of San Antonio, Black, Lafon, and Moyer of San Antonio.

Public Health Work.

Two interesting meetings were held at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A. recently, addressed by Mr. R. C. Ortega, Spanish-speaking field secretary of the Texas Public Health Association, who has been in Laredo for some time carrying on the work of educating the Mexican residents in the necessity of sanitation and hygiene. Mr. Ortega told the audience of the need of general knowledge of what constituted a clean city, and impressively told the women that they are responsible for the health of a community, and that the responsibility centers largely in the home. The first meeting was held Wednesday of last week and the other meeting on Wednesday of this week. After the addresses, an informal reception was held and coffee and sandwiches were served.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered: "Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

PERSONALS

Davis McGown is in the city on a short business trip. Mr. McGown is now operating an irrigated farm near Devine which he recently acquired.

FIRST CONVENTION OF LABOR PARTY.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 13.—The promoters of the new American Labor party declare they find grounds for such encouragement in the recent election results, particularly in the gains made by the Socialists in New York City and elsewhere. In the public mind the new party is certain to be associated with the Socialist party, so the results of the election which are taken as an indication that the Socialists no longer provoke the bitter public opposition which they encountered during the war, are naturally gratifying to the promoters of the new movement. The latter, in reality, is an offshoot of the Socialist party, but in one particular the new party expects to encounter none of the popular opposition with which the Socialists have met. The new Labor party, it is declared, will be 100 per cent American.

The American Labor party, which was given birth at a conference held in Chicago some months ago, aims to be in the presidential campaign next year. With this object in view it is planning to open its first national convention in this city one week from next Saturday.

The convention was first called to assemble in Chicago, but later it was decided to hold the gathering in Cleveland. The change in the meeting place was due to the efforts of Max S. Hays, the chairman of the executive committee, and a resident of this city. Eighteen hundred delegates are expected at the convention with representatives among them from all the States except, perhaps, a few in the South.

The best organized labor interests in the United States are the railway employees—nearly 2,000,000 unionized, skilled workers, and with a view to corraling, so far as possible, these men in the transportation service of the country to the new party what may be called "railway cities" are the ones represented on its executive committee—Cleveland, Chicago, Kansas City and New York.

The call issued for the national convention declares for "restoration of all civil liberties, the public ownership and democratic management of the means of transportation and communication, mines, finance, and all other monopolies and natural resources; the abolition of excessive land ownership and holding land out of use for speculative purposes."

"We hold that the formation of a National Labor Party," the call states, "has not only become expedient, but imperative. The hopeless bankruptcy of the dominant political parties and their utter inability to function in the interests of the people in the present crisis, and to meet the profound social and economic problems that now portend, make it self-evident that the people must take the reins of government in their own hands if grave consequences are to be avoided and this country is to be made safe for justice and democracy."

FROM HERE AND THERE.

Savings banks were invented by a clergyman.

Tokio has more than thirty daily newspapers.

The Bible contains no words or names of more than six syllables.

The oldest known English picture is one of Chaucer, painted in 1380.

Amber is found in various colors, besides yellow—black, white, brown, and green.

DISTILLERIES SOLD WHISKEY OPENLY IN LOUISVILLE TODAY AT \$75.00 PER CASE

Orders Filed Before July 1 were Filled in Hundreds, Distillers 'Claiming Right to Sell Under injunction Granted Against Government Interference with the Sale of a Million Gallons.

COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE ANTI-AMERICAN

PROPAGANDA IN COLOMBIA IS TRACEABLE TO MEXICAN MINISTER UGARTE, IT CHARGED.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The Mexican National holiday, September 16, has been made a state holiday in Colombia, the senate of Colombia by resolution decreeing that such honor should be paid "our sister republic," advises to Washington today said. A copy of the resolution, signed by all the members of the Colombian senate, was forwarded to Carranza through Gerzaya Ugarte, Mexican minister to Colombia. Ugarte is credited by officials here with fomenting much anti-American propaganda recently circulated in Colombia. An album was sent the Mexican foreign office containing the signatures of 5,000 Colombian university students, lauding Mexico's attitude toward foreigners, having reference it is believed to the controversies between Mexico and the United States over the attempted confiscation of the oil lands. In the dedication of the album Mexico is called "The Sentinel of the Latin-American Nations."

NON-STOP FLIGHT TO CHICAGO WAS BEGUN

GIANT AIRPLANE CARRIED EIGHT PASSENGERS AND 1,500 POUNDS OF EXPRESS MATTER.

By Associated Press.

Mineola, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Vice Admiral Mark Kerr's giant Handleyage bombing plane left Mitchell Field at 7 o'clock this morning on a non-stop flight to Chicago, carrying eight passengers and 1,500 pounds of express. Admiral Kerr expected the trip would take 10 hours.

COTTON MARKETS.

This wire service is furnished The Times daily by T. A. Austin & Co., agents for Geo. H. McFadden and Company, the largest cotton dealers in the world:

Liverpool.

Opening—Spots good demand; hardening better qualities, prices later months. Sales 1,000. Receipts 12,400, all American. Good middling 26.73 (English pence). Middling 24.73. Futures steady. Oct. 24.40; Dec. 24.10-18; Jan. 23.40-55; March 22.39-52; May 21.80-86.
Close—Steady. Nov. 24.08; Dec. 23.70; Jan. 23.03; March 22.05; May 21.44.

New York.

Opening—Dec. 37.60-78; Jan. 36.70-65; March 35.00-34.93; May 34.15-05.
Close—Easy. Dec. 36.60-65; Jan. 35.50-55; March 34.05-15; May 33.07-17.

New Orleans.

Opening—Dec. 37.90-38.00; Jan. 35.62-76; March 34.48-40; May 33.30-39.
Close—Steady. Dec. 37.30-35; Jan. 35.50-60; March 34.25-35; May 33.28-35.

Houston.

Spots steady, 100 points down. Middling 40.50. Sales 581. To arrive 1,549. F. O. B. 600.

Galveston.

Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 331. F. O. B. 3.969.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by The Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight, fair; heavy frost in interior and Eastern Texas, except in lower Rio Grande valley. Saturday, fair; rising temperature.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:

Max. temp. 51 degs.
Min. temp. 41 degs.
General direction of wind: North-east.

Clear.

By Associated Press.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 14.—Two local distilleries sold whiskey openly today at \$75.00 a case, regardless of the wartime prohibition law. Hundreds of orders filed before July 1 are being filled following the granting of an injunction yesterday restraining the government from interfering with the sale of a million gallons of floor stock whiskey. Other Kentucky distillers apparently are disposed to await the supreme court's decision concerning the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition act before trying to dispose of their stock, said to approximate 40,000,000 gallons.

Preparing in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Four hundred reservations in downtown cafes were booked today in anticipation of the injunctions tomorrow of Federal Judges Carpenter and Fitz Henry to prevent enforcement of wartime prohibition.

FINLAND WILL AID GENERAL YUDENITCH

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The Mexican Chamber of Deputies, now in session, have approved a decree placing a tax of 20 pesos on all persons passing through ports of entry into Mexico. The bill has yet to go to the Senate for a vote before becoming effective, which, it is stated, will be about two or three months. Subjects of nation are exempt from this tax. This is the information received by Mexican Consul de la Mata of San Antonio.

Only Mexican laborers and others who prove that they are unable to pay the tax will be admitted into that country free. Persons entering this country from Mexico are always taxed \$1 by the American Consul, and this will continue in force. Upon their return to Mexico, however, they will have to pay the Mexican revenue.

At the present time there are no charges made except on passports issued by the Mexican consul, which is \$3 to all except those who prove that they are unable to pay the amount.

FEDERAL COURT ADJOURNS AFTER FOUR-DAY SESSION

Numerous Cases Tried and Disposed of; Court Officials Took Departure Last Night for Houston.

After a four days session, beginning on last Monday morning in the federal court room of the federal building here the United States Court for the Southern District of Texas in Webb county, adjourned yesterday afternoon and Federal Judge Hutcheson, District Attorney Simmons, United States Marshal Herring, District Clerk Masterson and other court officials left last night on their return to their homes to spend a couple of days before going to Corpus Christi on Monday, where the regular November term of court will be convened there on next Monday morning.

During the term just ended considerable business was transacted by the court, although there were not as many indictments returned as at previous terms, the grand jury having finished their work on Wednesday afternoon and being discharged. At the term numerous cases against smugglers, slackers, violators of the neutrality laws, etc., were tried and disposed of, the last of the cases being tried yesterday and sentences imposed.

WEED WEEK.

Every school boy on the Heights is requested to prove his civic pride tomorrow—Saturday—by chopping the weeds. Citizens owning vacant lots on the Heights are cordially invited to "clean up." The majority of the Heights residents have responded to the "call of the hoe," and are in line for the prize to be given a week from tomorrow. There will also be a prize given for the best appearing vacant block in the resident district. A committee from the Heights Civic Club is busy compiling a list of owners of vacant blocks and lots on the Heights.

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The cotton ginning season in Laredo is now drawing to a close and within the next week or ten days the plant of the Laredo Cotton Gin Co., on the Heights here will close down for the season, as by that time all cotton of Webb and Zapata counties, which has been handled by the local gin, will have been baled, aggregating about 1,600 bales.

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The human brain usually stops growing at about fifty, and from sixty to seventy its tendency is to decrease in size.



The wonderful little Mexican pugilist who will defend his title as champion flyweight (110 lbs.) of the State of Texas, against the tough American pugilist, "Knockout" Brown, of Houston, Texas.

In over 60 battles, Poncho has never lost a fight, and is the most talked of fighter in Texas today. He will box 20 rounds with the American in the Bull ring, Nuevo Laredo, next Sunday afternoon, and it will be a wonderful fight.

In addition to this fight, the great Mexican welterweight, Jose Garcia, known as "El Gato," will fight Willie Moody, the great Missouri lightweight, in a 20 round scrap. There will also be some preliminary fights between amateurs.

Guy Turpin, well known promoter, is in charge of the fights and will act as judge.



A fine big 9½ pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lang this morning at 3:30 o'clock. Mother and child are doing nicely and the father is happy as can be.

The freeze and frost predicted for last night and this morning failed to materialize, as the mercury's minimum registration was 41 degrees—9 degrees above freezing. However, it was cold enough last night to make an overcoat comfortable outdoors and heater comfortable indoors.

The following importations from Mexico passed through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon: Six carloads of litle, one carload of henequen, four carloads of cotton seed cake and one carload of hides.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight mill in the Nuevo Laredo bullfight arena Sunday afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock. Willie Moody and Jose Garcia, the lightweights who will fight for twenty rounds, and "Knockout" Brown, who will meet "Kid" Poncho, who is already here, are expected to reach Laredo tomorrow. All are in good condition for their bouts.

Maria Castro, arrested on a charge of receiving stolen property, was arraigned for a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Bonavides this morning and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300, in default of which she was remanded to the county jail.

The commissioners court is still in session transacting routine business and acting on other matters demanding their attention.

The following marriage license has been issued by the county clerk since last report: Carlos P. Osgood and Trinidad Sanchez.

VISIT OF "VATICAN CHOIR" ATTRACTS MANY VISITORS

Quite a Number of Laredo People Have Gone to San Antonio to Hear Notable Singers There Today.

A musical treat, unequalled perhaps by any previous event of the kind in this country, is on in San Antonio this evening, when seventy chorists from the basilicas of Rome, constituting the Vatican Choir, will give a twilight concert in the Alamo City before a crowd which will cause an overflow of the spacious Majestic Opera House.

From all over Texas people are going to San Antonio to hear these famous singers, and Laredo will be strongly represented there, as a number of lovers of real music left here yesterday and today for the Alamo City, having secured their seating reservations some time ago, as there are no seats to be had now.

Notice to the Public.
I have moved my dental office from my residence on the Heights to 516 Salinas avenue, upstairs in the Branman building. My office phone is No. 571.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Mrs. R. B. Echols will entertain at bridge at her home, 1717 Houston street, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Friday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Saturday.
Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

General Mention.

Col. H. M. Taylor of San Antonio, who spent Wednesday in Laredo, has returned home. While in the city he was the guest of Mrs. H. D. Shelby.

Mrs. G. C. Hiatt and little daughter are home again after a delightful two months' stay in Indiana.

Col. B. B. Buck is in San Antonio for a few days' stay.

Mr. L. A. Morrow is in San Antonio in attendance at the convocation of the Scottish Rite bodies.

Mrs. M. McLaurin has returned to San Antonio after a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wiggins.

Miss Hazel Merriman left this morning for San Antonio for a several weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hauser.

Mr. W. T. Nebitt Sr. has returned to his home in Anderson, Texas, after a week's visit to his son, Mr. W. T. Nebitt Jr.

Announcement.

The regular dance of the Community Service will take place tonight at the post, with the full 37th Infantry band furnishing the music. Everything will be done to make the affair enjoyable to all, and a cordial invitation is extended to the townspeople to attend.

Ladies Aid Society.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church held a business meeting with Mrs. Dannelley yesterday afternoon. The Bible study was led by Mrs. Neff. After the lesson was concluded and the business transacted, a pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which the hostess served fruit salad and cake. Those present were: Mesdames Little, Earnest, Morgan, Phelps, Rodgers, Keithley, E. F. Hamilton, Millar, Worsham, Lindsay and Dannelley.

Entertainment.

One of the delightful social events of the week was the evening bridge party given by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton on Wednesday, complimenting a number of friends, the occasion being Mr. Hamilton's birthday. The decorations in the living room featured yellow and white chrysanthemums, filling artistic baskets and vases. In the dining room the same color note was reflected, giant Japanese chrysanthemums in a tall vase occupying the table. Quantities of beautiful ferns were also used. Seven tables were arranged for the players, and in the series of games of auction bridge played the ladies' high score prize, a hand-painted bombon box, was awarded Mrs. Joe Vidales; the men's high score prize, a silver tray, was won by Mr. T. A. Leyendecker; the low score prize, a silver pencil, went to Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker. At the conclusion of the games a delicious two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The favors were dainty yellow baskets filled with yellow and white mints. Those enjoying the delightful hospitality of the evening were: Mrs. K. S. Hamilton, Dr. H. J. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. Sauvignot, Judge and Mrs. Greer, Dr. and Mrs. Younk, Mr. and Mrs. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bueza, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin, Prof. and Mrs. Mally, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Christen, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leyendecker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vidales, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muller, Mrs. McNeil Turner, Mrs. H. D. Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. Lafon, Miss Lucille Murphy and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hamilton.

Thursday Bridge Club.

The members of the Thursday Bridge Club and a number of guests were delightfully entertained by Miss Eva Levi yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Wormser. The rooms were artistically decorated in white chrysanthemums and ferns. Upon the arrival of the guests a prettily appointed two-course luncheon was served. In the pleasant series of games of bridge played the club prize was won by Miss Helen MacGregor, who received a cut-glass sandwich dish. The guest prize, a lovely cut-glass sugar bowl and cream pitcher, went to Mrs. L. A. Lafon. Those enjoying the pleasant hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Annie and Frances Alexander, Helen MacGregor, Maria Mowry, Esther Hirsch, Josephine Sauvignot and Lucille Murphy; Mesdames Joe Moser, Ira O'Meara, Witting and Wormser;

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Public Health Work.

Two interesting meetings were held at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A. recently, addressed by Mr. R. C. Ortega, Spanish-speaking field secretary of the Texas Public Health Association, who has been in Laredo for some time carrying on the work of educating the Mexican residents in the necessity of sanitation and hygiene. Mr. Ortega told the audience of the need of general knowledge of what constituted a clean city, and impressively told the women that they are responsible for the health of a community, and that the responsibility centers largely in the home. The first meeting was held Wednesday of last week and the other meeting on Wednesday of this week. After the addresses, an informal reception was held and coffee and sandwiches were served.

Only a Cold.

Are you ill? Is often answered—"Oh! it's only a cold," as if a cold was a matter of little consequence, but people are beginning to learn that a common cold is a matter not to be trifled with, that some of the most serious diseases start with a cold. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Remember that the sooner you get rid of your cold the less the danger, and this remedy will help you to throw it off.

PERSONALS

David McGown is in the city on a short business trip. Mr. McGown is now operating an irrigated farm near Devine which he recently acquired.

FIRST CONVENTION OF LABOR PARTY.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 13.—The promoters of the new American Labor party declare they find grounds for such encouragement in the recent election results, particularly in the gains made by the Socialists in New York City and elsewhere. In the public mind the new party is certain to be associated with the Socialist party, so the results of the election which are taken as an indication that the Socialists no longer provoke the bitter public opposition which they encountered during the war, are naturally gratifying to the promoters of the new movement. The latter, in reality, is an offshoot of the Socialist party, but one particular the new party expects to encounter none of the popular opposition with which the Socialists have met. The new Labor party, it is declared, will be 100 per cent American.

The American Labor party, which was given birth at a conference held in Chicago some months ago, aims to be in the presidential campaign next year. With this object in view it is planning to open its first national convention in this city one week from next Saturday.

The convention was first called to assemble in Chicago, but later it was decided to hold the gathering in Cleveland. The change in the meeting place was due to the efforts of Max S. Hays, the chairman of the executive committee, and a resident of this city. Eighteen hundred delegates are expected at the convention with representatives among them from all the States except, perhaps, a few in the South.

The best organized labor interests in the United States are the railway employees—nearly 2,000,000 unionized, skilled workers, and with a view to corralling, so far as possible, these men in the transportation service of the country to the new party what may be called "railway cities" are the ones represented on its executive committee—Cleveland, Chicago, Kansas City and New York.

The call issued for the national convention declares for "restoration of all civil liberties, the public ownership and democratic management of the means of transportation and communication, mines, finance, and all other monopolies and natural resources; the abolition of excessive land ownership and holding land out of use for speculative purposes." "We hold that the formation of a National Labor Party," the call states, "has not only become expedient, but imperative. The hopeless bankruptcy of the dominant political parties and their utter inability to function in the interests of the people in the present crisis, and to meet the profound social and economic problems that now portend, make it self-evident that the people must take the reins of government in their own hands if grave consequences are to be avoided and this country is to be made safe for justice and democracy."

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Savings banks were invented by a clergyman.

Tokio has more than thirty daily newspapers.

The Bible contains no words or names of more than six syllables.

The oldest known English picture is one of Chaucer, painted in 1380.

Amber is found in various colors, besides yellow—black, white, brown, and green.

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Houston.

Spots steady, 100 points down, Middling 40.50. Sales 581. To arrive 1,549. F. O. B. 600.

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Spots steady and unchanged. Middling 41.50. Sales 331. F. O. B. 3.969.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

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Local Weather Report.

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Clear.

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THE SUGAR QUESTION.

According to the information received officially from Washington by the wholesale grocers, someone is profiteering in the sugar business, and apparently the government is going to do nothing about it, for Attorney General Palmer announces that the permitted price at the refineries will be 18c a pound. This means about \$18.75 per hundred pounds to the wholesale grocers, after paying freight, and their permitted profit will bring the price to the retailer of \$19.50 a hundred-weight, which means that the people will have to pay at the least calculation 20c a pound. And this is figuring on such a small margin to the retailer—50c on a hundred pounds—that he would be justified in refusing to handle it, were it not for the benefit of his customers.

Meanwhile, there are open charges that the refineries and warehouses are almost bursting with sugar, although the wholesale grocers cannot secure a carload at any price, and the shortage is so acute that people will soon be worse off than they were in the days of the war when millions of pounds were being sent to our soldiers.

Even when a carload comes to Laredo, it means only somewhere around 50,000 pounds, which means less than two pounds a person if it is all sold here. And two pounds of sugar or less to each person will not last long.

Something should be done. It is certain that there is no profiteering in Laredo with regard to sugar. The price here has been as high as 13c a pound, but no higher, except for package sugar, which costs the dealers more than the sugar in bulk.

But if the charges are true—and surely the government has means of finding out—the guilty refiners who are holding for a raise should be forced to disgorge. The raw sugar is now being refined in Louisiana, and the warehouses at the New Orleans docks are said to be filled to capacity with sugar, which would be enough to supply all the demand in this section.

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But if they proceed to sell in face of the present law and the court thereafter decides that the law is constitutional, they will then be liable to the penalties of the law. But they will also have the money for the whiskey, and that amount of money will enable them to put up a pretty strong fight, which is perhaps the angle from which they view the case.

It is discouraging to find that after all the years we have been engaged in governing ourselves we have not found a better system of making laws that will stand the scrutiny of the courts. Our lawmakers fashion a law which pleases the majority and it is placed on the statute books. Some person or group consults an attorney, proceeds to openly and brazenly violate that law, and then brings the case before the higher courts on a question of constitutionality. And in many cases the courts decide that the law is unconstitutional because of the misplacing of a comma, or an inversion of words which makes it obscure, or some other equally important defect, although the intent of the law is plain and the offense which it seeks to prevent is manifest to all.

If our laws have to run the gantlet of the courts, let us offer them to the courts before enacting them. There are too many interpreters in congress to make anything certain. One learned counsel says Tweedledee is the proper form, while another equally learned counsel says Tweedledum is nearer the original intent of the constitution. And whichever is chosen must be decided upon by the highest authorities, so let us go to the highest authorities before finally deciding upon something which may prove not to be worth the paper it is printed on.

It might be that such a course would prevent the enactment of much useless legislation, and it would certainly give pause to many who are bent upon getting their particular laws enacted if they were to find that the courts did not consider those laws as being in agreement with the constitution.

The question of wartime prohibition is not so important to the people as the question of whether or not such a law complies with the requirements of the constitution. There are many, of course, who would rather find that the law was not valid than to have it enforced. But before such a law is attempted to be enforced, we should know if it is constitutional. It would have been comparatively easy for congress to secure a decision from the supreme court before enacting the enforcement law. If the wartime prohibition act was unconstitutional, naturally an act to enforce its provisions would also be unconstitutional.

"POOR RELATIONS" AT ROYAL PLAY WITH A STRONG MORAL

One of Those Deep Human Interest Plays That Contain All Truth About Life As It Is Seen Today.

The play at the Royal last night, "Poor Relations," was one of those deep human interest dramas, interspersed here and there with a little comedy to offset the pathos, that told a beautiful story of how a poor girl, with great talent became the wife of a man whose parents had made him a pampered fool and after his marriage wielded an influence of an ominous nature by constantly reminding him that he had married a girl below his level and all that kind of bosh.

But the girl was a better and more sincere woman than he was a man, and he did not learn this until the good wife, tiring of his abuses and the insults of his arrogant parents, left him and he, in all his humility, trailed her to the humble home of her "nicky" parents and asked her forgiveness. Then he came to a realization that the real home is the home where loves dwell instead of selfishness and vanity. It was one of those stories that tell of life as it is observed in these times.

FOR DISTURBING OF PEACE ONE DEFENDANT WAS FINED

In Cases Appealed From Corporation to District Court Bonds Were Forfeited; Other Cases Continued.

In the district court yesterday only one case, that being appealed from the justice's court, was disposed of by trial, that being the case against Narciso Alanis, charged with disturbing the peace. He was found guilty and punished by a fine of \$5 and costs.

A number of cases appealed from the corporation to the district court were called yesterday, but when the parties failed to appear for trial their bonds were declared forfeited. Several other such cases were continued until the next term of court because the defendants demanded juries to try their cases, and as no jury had been summoned for the week the cases go over to the next session. The president was of the opinion that congress had no right to continue wartime prohibition and therefore vetoed the bill, which was promptly passed over his veto.

MISS MARY COPLEY DEVINE PASSED AWAY LAST EVENING

DEPUTY COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS IN CHARGE AT LAREDO.

Was One of the Most Untiring and Capable Deputy Collectors in Service; Funeral Probably Tomorrow.

After a several months illness, the past three months or more being spent in her bed, Miss Mary Copley Devine, deputy collector in charge of the Laredo customs house of the San Antonio district, closed her eyes in eternal slumber at her home, 1104 Juarez Avenue, last evening at 7:30 o'clock as her mother and other loved ones kept vigil at her bedside. For some time past the condition of Miss Devine had been precarious and her recovery was despaired of by those attending her, but the patient suffered herself held out hopes of going back to the work at the customs house that was under her direction, in fact only a few days ago she asked the physician attending her if she could not go to the federal building and look after her duties as deputy collector in charge.

Though one of the few women in the customs service holding so responsible a position as that of deputy collector in charge of so important a port of entry as Laredo, here on the Mexican border, that position could not have been filled more faithfully, for Mary Devine was an indefatigable worker and with that sincere realization that her work depended upon her administration of affairs, she untiringly set to the task. While America sent her boys "over there" where cannon roared, bullets cracked and the atmosphere was poisoned with gas, Miss Devine, at home, did her share to bring victory to the allied arms, for never did one work harder and more untiringly to keep the border free of German propagandists and other menacing characters than did she who now lies cold in death. Her work, unlike that of the others in the service, did not have a limit of eight hours, for often she went home to supper in the evening after a hard day's work in the office, only to return later that night to look after some matter that needed her attention.

She was always the same true and faithful servant to Uncle Sam. One morning the writer met her with heavy eyelids and a wearied look on her face and asked if she was ill, and the reply was, "No, I was so tired when I finished my work last night that I could not sleep." Then one gets too tired to sleep, then truly the physical and mental forces have been put to their severest tests and the nerves are so unstrung that slumber is resisted and the weary are robbed of needed rest. And this is the manner in which Mary Devine attended to her duties—did her work despite the jeopardizing of her health, and therefore her death may be directly attributed to a broken down constitution incapable of resisting the bodily ills that had put her on her deathbed. Now she is dead and all Laredo mourns her loss, her family are experiencing those pangs of sorrow that mere words of condolence but slightly assuage and Uncle Sam has lost one of his best and most untiring servants.

Mary Copley Devine, eldest daughter of Mrs. Jennie Devine, was born in Brownsville, Texas, on July 21, 1882. At the age of twelve years she moved with her parents and family to Laredo, attended the schools of this city and received her education here, graduating from the Laredo High School. About nine years ago she secured a position as clerk in the customs service under the late Collector of Customs James J. Haynes, and later was promoted to deputy collector and held this position under Collector of Customs Frank Rabb. When Collector of Customs T. A. Coleman assumed charge of the collectorship of this customs district about two years ago and the headquarters were removed to San Antonio, Miss Devine was made deputy collector in charge of the port of Laredo, which position she held at the time of her death, and up to within a few days ago received reports from the offices here, passed on them and approved them. Last January Miss Devine contracted influenza, which settled on her lungs, and since then had been in failing health.

Besides her aged mother, Mrs. Jennie Devine, deceased is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. W. Lang, Misses Jennie and Ella Devine, and four brothers, John and Pat Devine, of Pharr, Texas; George Devine, of Bizbee, Arizona, and William Devine, of Fort Worth, the latter of whom was at his sister's bedside when she passed away, while the other three brothers will reach here tomorrow afternoon. To all of these go the sincere sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but if the train reaches here on time tomorrow afternoon the funeral will probably take place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Constipation. Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite, and strengthen the digestion.

PUGILISTS REACH LAREDO IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Moody, Garcia and Brown Arrived This Morning, and Poncho Was Already Here; Knockouts Predicted.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight mill to be held in the bullfight arena in Nuevo Laredo tomorrow beginning at 4 o'clock, and besides the numerous parties who will attend the exhibition from the two Laredos, a large number of fight fans from San Antonio, Cotulla, Pearsall and other places are expected to reach here tomorrow morning and afternoon to attend.

Willie Moody, the welterweight from Springfield, Mo., Jose Garcia, the big Cuban boy, and little "Knockout" Brown, arrived in Laredo this morning, while "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, is already here with Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fighting exhibition. All four fighters are putting in today at hard work boxing and shadow boxing and are in excellent condition. Moody and Garcia, who are matched for a twenty-round go, are both confident of victory, while the same optimistic feeling pervades "Kid" Poncho and "Knockout" Brown, who will also go twenty rounds. The preliminaries will consist of bouts between local men and soldiers from Fort McIntosh.

Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fights, who has been in Laredo several days, says he believes there will be a record crowd in attendance to witness the exhibitions, and he expects a knockout in each fight.

UNITED HUMOR AND DRAMA.

A laugh now and then is enjoyed by everybody, and it is part of the pleasure of seeing Rex Beach's Golden picture "The Girl From Outside," that you get a good laugh now and then in the midst of an absorbing story. The laughs are all in the right place, too. Some of them are due to the characters and some to the situations.

You can't help smiling a little at the five crooks and their great interest in their new ward, the orphan girl who comes alone to Alaska. The wall-eyed crook who is dead only when he isn't a scream. The Chinaman has the smile that won't come off. But most of all you'll be tickled by the capture of the one cow in Nome to get milk for the girl when she is sick. The cow is handled a little roughly, but all in a good cause.

Rex Beach has a fine vein of humor himself, as you know if you have read any of his books recently. His characters are always getting off racy remarks. Well, all the Beach humor is liberally represented on the screen in "The Girl From Outside" along with a story as entertaining as this master of narrative has told. It will be seen at the Royal Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday.

SERVICES WILL BE RESUMED AT CHRIST CHURCH TOMORROW

Splendid Musical Program, With Mrs. Anderson Once More Presiding at the Organ.

After several weeks without services, owing to the absence of the Rector, and with Mrs. Flora Dilgarde Anderson once more presiding at the organ, the services at Christ Church tomorrow promise to be inspiring and devotional. Following is the musical program:

MORNING.
Processional hymn, "Ancient of Days."
Versicles.
Venite, Anon.
Te Deum, Quadruple Chant.
Benedictus, Anon.
Hymn before sermon, "The Church's One Foundation."
Benediction and Seven-fold Amen.
Recessional hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."
Organ Postlude, Faulkes.
EVENING.
Processional.
Festal Choral Service.
Magnificat, Gregorian.
Nunc Dimittis, Gregorian.
Hymn before sermon, "Oh, For a Closer Walk."
Offertory and Prayers.
Vesper hymn, "God, That Madest Earth."
Benediction and Choral Amen.
Recessional.
Organ Postlude, Nevins.
Flora Dilgarde Anderson, organist and director.
Marguerite Nelson, assistant.

Examination of Teachers.

The regular examination for all classes of teachers' certificates will be held in Laredo on the first Friday and the Saturday following in December, same being the 5th and 6th days of the month. Intending applicants should apply to the county superintendent on Monday morning, December 1st, in order that the Board of Examiners may be convened.

B. RICHARDSON, Co. Supt.

ECONOMY SALVAGE HOUSE.

Army goods a specialty. Offers he public the following:
12,000 reclaimed army shoes, new soles and heels at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per pair.
500 army quilts at \$2.00 to \$2.50.
500 service hats at 25 cts. to 75 cts.
1701 Hidalgo St.
10-21-17.

LOCAL NEWS

—Unless it rains this afternoon or tonight, there will be many deer hunters leaving for the chaparral before morning to reach some spot by daybreak and get a fine big buck when he shows up. Those who go hunting these days are cautioned to look out for snakes (those that infest the brush) for they said to be numerous as a result of the recent heavy rains.

—The commissioners' court of Webb county, which has been in session during the past week, adjourned today. Numerous matters came before the commissioners during their session, including consideration of various road matters.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Epigenio Nieto and Miss Trinidad Portales, Robert Berndt and Miss Evie Larid, Isidor Freedman and Miss Fannie Berger.

—The local customhouse quarters in the federal building were closed this morning out of respect to Miss Mary Devine, deputy collector in charge, who died at her home here last night.

—The cool weather moderated last night and this morning was just sufficiently cool to be pleasant. A clouded sky throughout the day foreboded rain, but up to the noon hour no moisture of any consequence had fallen.

—A Christ Church tomorrow morning Rev. Chas. W. Cook will give the message of Bishop Brent to the Parish of Christ Church. The music will be good and the services inspiring.

MAJOR LEAGUE BALL TEAMS TO TRAIN IN SOUTH TEXAS

If Prompt Action Was Taken By Laredo in Matter Some of the Teams Might Be Induced to Train Here.

Two of the major league base ball teams have already announced that they will come to Texas coast country around Corpus Christi and Brownsville to do their spring training, and that other teams of both the American and National Leagues would probably come to South Texas next year to train.

Laredo has everything in the way of climate, grounds and other facilities to offer some of the big major league base ball teams to come here. As for a ball park there is one already here and should a team be brought here there would be other teams coming here for exhibition contests. Why not get busy right now on the proposition of bringing some big league ball team here to train next spring? Laredo would get advertising from such a venture—besides, there would be some real base ball games seen while the team was here.

PENNSYLVANIA HILLS FINE FILM SETTING

"The Gray Towers Mystery" Has Unusual Atmosphere.

The remarkable scenery of Milford, Pa., forms atmosphere in Vitagraph's new picture, "The Gray Towers Mystery." This production, with Gladys Leslie as star, will be shown at the Strand Theatre Monday.

Among motion picture scouts, whose business it is to locate beautiful or otherwise distinctive places throughout the country, suitable for certain kinds of film treatment, the scenery around Milford is recognized as particularly fine. This locality has been invaded several times recently by Vitagraph companies for purposes of reproduction.

Milford is buried in a valley, whose environs are grand in the contour of rolling, far stretches of fertile plains. The estates that nestle within this region are comparable to the famed ranches of Mexico, whose boundaries represent principalities.

"The Gray Towers Mystery" is a film that brings to view beautiful atmosphere is clothed with the magnificence of these surroundings. Its attitude of wildness.

Miss Leslie plays the role of a young working girl who inherits the ranch and the fortune of a dead uncle and who experiences tremendous adventure as mistress of her new destiny.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 15.
Sir John Aird, one of the eminent financial leaders of Canada, born in Quebec, 64 years ago today.
James O'Neill, a popular veteran of the American stage, born in Kilkenny, Ireland, 70 years ago today.
Charles E. Merriam, university professor and several times candidate for mayor of Chicago, born at Hopkinton, Iowa, 45 years ago today.
The Fairbanks Twins, Madeline and Marion, well known to the stage and motion pictures, born in New York City, 18 years ago today.
Vincent Astor, one of America's richest young men, born in New York City, 28 years ago today.

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SOCIETY

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Friday.

Saturday.
Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dance at the Soldiers Club in the evening.

Sunday.
The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church will meet at the church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet in the Church at 6:45 p. m.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will hold its regular meeting in the League room of the Methodist Church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church meets at 6:45 at the church Sunday evening.

Monday.

Mrs. L. J. Christen will entertain the Nullo Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
There will be a meeting of the Woman's Club at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

This May Interest You.

The Times desires all social items of interest and cordially invites its readers to supply such news to the society editor. Send or phone all items about weddings, parties, visitors, dinners, receptions, bazaars, children's parties, etc. If you are leaving town or returning, or have visitors arriving or departing. The Times will be glad to know it. While names will not be used all written communications must be signed. This is imperative to prevent imposition. Phone all society communications to the Society Editor of The Times at No. 70 between 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning and 5 and 8:30 in the evening.

God's Handwriting.

He writes in characters too grand for our short sight to understand; We catch but broken strokes, and To fathom all the mystery Of withered hopes, of death of life, The endless war, the useless strife— But there, with larger, clearer sight, We shall see this—

—John Oxenham in All's Well. (George H. Doran Co., New York.)

General Mention.

Mr. L. A. Morrow returned this morning from a short business trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. A. Dickey returned home yesterday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. Geo. Hatley is in Galveston visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Jones.

Col. Frederick Gilbreath left last night for Washington, D. C., on a detail. He was accompanied as far as Austin by Mrs. Gilbreath, who after a short visit to relatives will return to Laredo for a longer visit to her parents before joining Col. Gilbreath.

Mr. J. F. Lynch is in the city on a business trip.

Mrs. M. B. Mowry is expected home today from San Antonio, where she went to hear the Vatican Choir.

Mr. Francisco C. Salinas of Monterey is in the city for a few days visit to his brother, Mr. B. C. Salinas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owen Gallagher left this morning for their home on the Venado ranch in Zapata county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnston and children expect to leave this evening for San Antonio for a short visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. E. Longworth and little daughter Jean of San Antonio are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. McDaniels.

Announcements.

Mrs. R. L. Puster will entertain with a luncheon Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in honor of her sister Mrs. C. H. Bush.

There will be an important meeting of the Woman's Club Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. F. H. Bueenz entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Thursday evening, November 20.

Mrs. Chas. Deutz will entertain the Married Ladies Social Club on Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will have an infor-

mal reception Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Worham, honoring their pastor and family. The members of the congregation and friends are invited.

The organist and director of Christ Church, Mrs. Flora D. Anderson, will be at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to try out voices of applicants for the choir. This is an opportunity to receive a choir training.

Associated Charities Meeting.
There was quite an interesting and enthusiastic meeting of the committees from the various clubs and societies yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. Plans for Tag Day for the Associated Charities Hospital were discussed and arrangements were made accordingly. Mr. Cook is the general chairman; Mrs. H. M. Austin, vice chairman and Mrs. R. L. Bobbitt secretary. There were 35 present at the meeting.

Entertainment.
Mrs. R. B. Echols entertained with a beautifully appointed bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. P. Woodard. The rooms were charmingly arranged for the occasion. Numbers of pink roses filled vases and bowls and ferns were also used. In the dining room red was the chosen color and the decorations were carried out in red roses and carnations. In the games of bridge played the high score was held by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton, who was given a cutglass fern dish; low score went to Mrs. W. T. Hill, who received a half dozen pyrex ramekins; consolation was cut by Miss Lucille Murphy, who received two cut-glass flower vases. Stuffed dates and mints were served during the games and afterward a delightfully-appointed three-course luncheon was enjoyed. The plate favors were long-stemmed white carnations. Those enjoying the charming hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Inez Hill, Lucille Murphy, Annie and Frances Alexander and Woodbridge; Mesdames A. C. Hamilton, Shelby, Cogley, H. G. DaCamara, Hill, Young, George Moyer of San Antonio, Morrow, Witting, H. W. Johnston, Walker, Biggio, C. C. Jefferies, Fish, Lafon, Daiches, and Derby. Mrs. Echols was graciously assisted by Mrs. H. P. Woodard in entertaining her guests.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 15.
1807—Peter H. Burnett, first State governor of California, born at Nashville, Tenn. Died at San Francisco, May 16, 1895.
1813—An uprising took place in Holland against the French.
1857—James Hamilton, Jr., governor of South Carolina and the official head of the Nullification Party, died in Texas. Born at Charleston, S. C., May 8, 1786.
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1894—Queen Victoria received a deputation from the Queen of Switzerland.
1906—President Roosevelt visited the City of Panama, the first time a President of the United States passed beyond the jurisdiction of its flag.
1914—The Russians advanced upon Cracow.
1915—Russia announced intention to invade Persia to stop German activities there.
1916—Announcement that British Government would appoint a food controller with drastic power over prices.
1917—British forces of Gen. Allenby cut the railway connecting Jaffa with Jerusalem.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

NOVEMBER 15.
Ex-King Manuel II, in whose interest a strong monarchist movement is reported to have developed in Portugal, will quietly celebrate his 30th birthday today on the estate in England where he has resided since he lost his throne. So far as the public is aware he has expressed no desire to change his present lot, which is that of an English country gentleman and chicken farmer, for the strenuous and uncertain life of a king. Manuel was born the day his relative, Dom Pedro II, was deposed from the throne of Brazil. His own succession to the throne of Portugal was the result of the assassination of his father and elder brother. The revolution in 1910 put an end to the Braganza, which dates from the end of the fourteenth century. His mother, Queen Maria Amalia, who also resides in England, was an Orleans princess, daughter of the Count of Paris.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 15.
American airmen landed in Cologne.
Former German Crown Prince was interned at Laestricht.
German people appealed to President Wilson to save them from starvation and anarchy.

From Saturday's Daily.

THE SUGAR QUESTION.

According to the information received officially from Washington by the wholesale grocers, someone is profiteering in the sugar business, and apparently the government is going to do nothing about it, for Attorney General Palmer announces that the permitted price at the refineries will be 18c a pound. This means about \$18.75 per hundred pounds to the wholesale grocers, after paying freight, and their permitted profit will bring the price to the retailer of \$19.50 a hundred-weight, which means that the people will have to pay at the least calculation 29c a pound. And this is figuring on such a small margin to the retailer—50c on a hundred pounds—that he would be justified in refusing to handle it, were it not for the benefit of his customers.

Meanwhile, there are open charges that the refineries and warehouses are almost bursting with sugar, although the wholesale grocers cannot secure a carload at any price, and the shortage is so acute that people will soon be worse off than they were in the days of the war when millions of pounds were being sent to our soldiers.

Even when a carload comes to Laredo, it means only somewhere around 60,000 pounds, which means less than two pounds a person if it is all sold here. And two pounds of sugar or less to each person will not last long.

Something should be done. It is certain that there is no profiteering in Laredo with regard to sugar. The price here has been as high as 13c a pound, but no higher, except for package sugar, which costs the dealers more than the sugar in bulk.

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Now the question comes up: Are the liquor dealers justified in selling their stocks before the court has decided as to the validity of the law? It is true that the court may decide that the law is constitutional, in which case they could not hope to sell their liquor and would stand to lose a billion dollars, for that is the present value of the whiskey said to be stored in Louisville.

But if they proceed to sell in face of the present law and the court thereafter decides that the law is constitutional, they will then be liable to the penalties of the law. But they will also have the money for the whiskey, and that amount of money will enable them to put up a pretty strong fight, which is perhaps the angle from which they view the case.

It is discouraging to find that after all the years we have been engaged in governing ourselves we have not found a better system of making laws that will stand the scrutiny of the courts. Our lawmakers, fashion a law which pleases the majority and it is placed on the statute books. Some person or group consults an attorney, proceeds to openly and brazenly violate that law, and then brings the case before the higher courts on a question of constitutionality. And in many cases the courts decide that the law is unconstitutional because of the misplacing of a comma, or an inversion of words which makes it obscure, or some other equally important defect, although the intent of the law is plain and the offense which it seeks to prevent is manifest to all.

If our laws have to run the gantlet of the courts, let us offer them to the courts before enacting them. There are too many interpreters in congress to make anything certain. One learned counsel says Tweedledee is the proper form, while another equally learned counsel says Tweedledum is nearer the original intent of the constitution. And whichever is chosen must be decided upon by the highest authorities, so let us go to the highest authorities before finally deciding upon something which may prove not to be worth the paper it is printed on.

It might be that such a course would prevent the enactment of much useless legislation, and it would certainly give pause to many who are bent upon getting their particular laws enacted if they were to find that the courts did not consider those laws as being in agreement with the constitution.

The question of wartime prohibition is not so important to the people as the question of whether or not such a law complies with the requirements of the constitution. There are many of course, who would rather find that the law was not valid than to have it enforced. But before such a law is attempted to be enforced, we should know if it is constitutional. It would have been comparatively easy for congress to secure a decision from the supreme court before enacting the enforcement law. If the wartime prohibition act was unconstitutional, naturally an act to enforce its provisions would also be unconstitutional.

"POOR RELATIONS" AT ROYAL PLAY WITH A STRONG MORAL

One of Those Deep Human Interest Plays That Contain All Truth About Life As It Is Seen Today.

The play at the Royal last night, "Poor Relations," was one of those deep human interest dramas, interspersed here and there with a little comedy to offset the pathos, that told a beautiful story of how a poor girl, with great talent became the wife of a man whose parents had made him a pampered fool and after his marriage wielded an influence of an ominous nature by constantly reminding him that he had married a girl below his level and all that kind of hosh.

But the girl was a better and more sincere woman than he was a man, and he did not learn this until the good wife, tiring of his abuses and the insults of his arrogant parents, left him and he, in all his humility, trailed her to the humble home of her "hicky" parents and asked her forgiveness. Then he came to a realization that the real home is the home where loves dwell instead of selfishness and vanity. It was one of those stories that tell of life as it is observed in these times.

FOR DISTURBING OF PEACE ONE DEFENDANT WAS FINED

In Cases Appealed From Corporation to District Court Bonds Were Forfeited; Other Cases Continued.

In the district court yesterday only one case, that being appealed from the justice's court, was disposed of by trial, that being the case against Narciso Alanis, charged with disturbing the peace. He was found guilty and punished by a fine of \$5 and costs.

A number of cases appealed from the corporation to the district court were called yesterday, but when the parties failed to appear for trial their bonds were declared forfeited. Several other such cases were continued until the next term of court because the defendants demanded juries to try their cases, and as no jury had been summoned for the week the cases go over to the next term of court.

MISS MARY COPLEY DEVINE PASSED AWAY LAST EVENING

DEPUTY COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS IN CHARGE AT LAREDO.

Was One of the Most Untiring and Capable Deputy Collectors in Service; Funeral Probably Tomorrow.

After a several months illness, the past three months or more being spent in her bed, Miss Mary Copley Devine, deputy collector in charge of the Laredo customs house of the San Antonio district, closed her eyes in eternal slumber at her home, 1104 Juarez Avenue, last evening at 7:30 o'clock as her mother and other loved ones kept vigil at her bedside. For some time past the condition of Miss Devine had been precarious and her recovery was despaired of by those attending her, but the patient suiter herself held out hopes of going back to the work at the customs house that was under her direction, in fact only as late as November 1 she asked the physician attending her if she could not go to the federal building and look after her duties as deputy collector in charge.

Though one of the few women in the customs service holding so responsible a position as that of deputy collector in charge of so important a port of entry as Laredo, here on the Mexican border, that position could not have been filled more faithfully, for Mary Devine was an indefatigable worker and with that sincere realization that her work depended upon her administration of affairs, she untiringly set to the task. While America sent her boys "over there" where cannon roared, bullets cracked and the atmosphere was poisoned with gas, Miss Devine, at home, did her share to bring victory to the allied arms, for never did one work harder and more untiringly to keep the border free of German propagandists and other menacing characters than did she who now lies cold in death.

Her work, unlike that of the others in the service, did not have a limit of eight hours, for often she went home to supper in the evening after a hard day's work in the office, only to return later that night to look after some matter that needed her attention. She was always the same true and faithful servant to Uncle Sam. One morning the writer met her with heavy eyelids and a worried look on her face and asked if she was ill, and the reply was, "No, I was so tired when I finished my work last night that I could not sleep." When one gets too tired to sleep, then truly the physical and mental forces have been put to their severest tests and the nerves are so unstrung that slumber is resisted and the weary are robbed of needed rest. And this is the manner in which Mary Devine attended to her duties—did her work despite the jeopardizing of her health, and therefore her death may be directly attributed to a broken down constitution incapable of resisting the bodily ills that had put her on her deathbed. Now she is dead and all Laredo mourns her loss, her family are experiencing those pangs of sorrow that mere words of condolence but slightly assuage and Uncle Sam has lost one of his best and most untiring servants.

Mary Copley Devine, eldest daughter of Mrs. Jennie Devine, was born in Brownsville, Texas, on July 21, 1882. At the age of twelve years she moved with her parents and family to Laredo, attended the schools of this city and received her education here, graduating from the Laredo High School. About nine years ago she secured a position as clerk in the customs service under the late Collector of Customs James J. Haynes, and later was promoted to deputy collector and held this position under Collector of Customs Frank Rabb. When Collector of Customs T. A. Coleman assumed charge of the collectorship of this customs district about two years ago and the headquarters were removed to San Antonio, Miss Devine was made deputy collector in charge of the port of Laredo, which position she held at the time of her death, and up to within a few days ago received reports from the offices here, passed on them and approved them. Last January Miss Devine contracted influenza, which settled on her lungs, and since then had been in failing health.

Besides her aged mother, Mrs. Jennie Devine, deceased is survived by three sisters, Mrs. A. W. Lang, Misses Jennie and Ella Devine, and four brothers, John and Pat Devine, of Pharr, Texas; George Devine, of Bizbee, Arizona, and William Devine, of Fort Worth, the latter of whom was at his sister's bedside when she passed away, while the other three brothers will reach here tomorrow afternoon. To all of these go the sincere sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but if the train reaches here on time tomorrow afternoon the funeral will probably take place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Constipation.

Most laxatives and cathartics afford only temporary relief and should be used only for that purpose. When you want permanent relief take Chamberlain's Tablets and be careful to observe the directions with each package. These tablets not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion.

PUGILISTS REACH LAREDO IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

Moody, Garcia and Brown Arrived This Morning, and Poncho Was Already Here; Knockouts Predicted.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight mill to be held in the bullfight arena in Nuevo Laredo tomorrow beginning at 4 o'clock, and besides the numerous parties who will attend the exhibition from the two Laredos, a large number of fight fans from San Antonio, Cotulla, Pearsall and other places are expected to reach here tomorrow morning and afternoon to attend.

Willie Moody, the welterweight from Springfield, Mo., Jose Garcia, the big Cuban boy, and little "Knockout" Brown, arrived in Laredo this morning, while "Kid" Poncho, the San Antonio flyweight, is already here with Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fighting exhibition. All four fighters are putting in today at hard work boxing and shadow boxing and are in excellent condition. Moody and Garcia, who are matched for a twenty-round go, are both confident of victory, while the same optimistic feeling pervades "Kid" Poncho and "Knockout" Brown, who will also go twenty rounds. The preliminaries will consist of bouts between local men and soldiers from Fort McIntosh.

Guy Turpin, the promoter of the fights, who has been in Laredo several days, says he believes there will be a record crowd in attendance to witness the exhibitions, and he expects a knockout in each fight.

UNITED HUMOR AND DRAMA.

A laugh now and then is enjoyed by everybody, and it is part of the pleasure of seeing Rex Beach's Golden picture "The Girl From Outside," that you get a good laugh now and then in the midst of an absorbing story. The laughs are all in the right place, too. Some of them are due to the characters and some to the situations.

You can't help smiling a little at the five crooks and their great interest in their new ward, the orphan girl who comes alone to Alaska. The wall-eyed crook who is deaf only when he wants to be is a sketch when he isn't a scream. The Chinaman has the smile that won't come off. But most of all you'll be tickled by the capture of the one cow in Nome to get milk for the girl when she is sick. The cow is handled a little roughly, but all in a good cause.

Rex Beach has a fine vein of humor himself, as you know if you have read any of his books recently. His characters are always getting off racy remarks. Well, all the Beach humor is liberally represented on the screen in "The Girl From Outside" along with a story as entertaining as this master of narrative has told. It will be seen at the Royal Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday.

SERVICES WILL BE RESUMED AT CHRIST CHURCH TOMORROW

Splendid Musical Program, With Mrs. Anderson Once More Presiding at the Organ.

After several weeks without services, owing to the absence of the Rector, and with Mrs. Flora Dilgarde Anderson once more presiding at the organ, the services at Christ Church tomorrow promise to be inspiring and devotional. Following is the musical program:

MORNING.
Processional hymn, "Ancient of Days."
Versicles.
Venite, Anon.
Te Deum, Quadruple Chant.
Benedictus, Anon.
Hymn before sermon, "The Church's One Foundation."
Benediction and Seven-fold Amen.
Recessional hymn, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."
Organ Postlude, Faulkes.
EVENING.
Processional.
Festal Choral Service.
Magnificat, Gregorian.
Nunc Dimittis, Gregorian.
Hymn before sermon, "Oh, For a Closer Walk."
Offertory and Prayers.
Vesper hymn, "God, That Madest Earth."
Benediction and Choral Amen.
Recessional.
Organ Postlude, Nevin.
Flora Dilgarde Anderson, organist and director.
Marguerite Nelson, assistant.

Examination of Teachers.
The regular examination for all classes of teachers' certificates will be held in Laredo on the first Friday and the Saturday following in December, same being the 5th and 6th days of the month. Intending applicants should apply to the county superintendent on Monday morning, December 1st, in order that the Board of Examiners may be convened.
B. RICHARDSON, Co. Supt.

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—Unless it rains this afternoon or tonight, there will be many deer hunters leaving for the chaparral before morning to reach some spot by daybreak and get a fine big buck when he shows up. Those who go hunting these days are cautioned to look out for snakes (those that infest the brush) for they said to be numerous as a result of the recent heavy rains.

—The commissioners' court of Webb county, which has been in session during the past week, adjourned today. Numerous matters came before the commissioners during their session, including consideration of various road matters.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Epimenio Nieto and Miss Trinidad Portales, Robert Berndt and Miss Evie Larid, Isidor Freedman and Miss Fannie Berger.

—The local customhouse quarters in the federal building were closed this morning out of respect to Miss Mary Devine, deputy collector in charge, who died at her home here last night.

—The cool weather moderated last night and this morning was just sufficiently cool to be pleasant. A clouded sky throughout the day foreboded rain, but up to the noon hour no moisture of any consequence had fallen.

—A Christ Church tomorrow morning Rev. Chas. W. Cook will give the message of Bishop Brent to the Parish of Christ Church. The music will be good and the services inspiring.

MAJOR LEAGUE BALL TEAMS TO TRAIN IN SOUTH TEXAS

If Prompt Action Was Taken By Laredo in Matter Some of the Teams Might Be Induced to Train Here.

Two of the major league base ball teams have already announced that they will come to Texas coast country around Corpus Christi and Brownsville to do their spring training, and that other teams of both the American and National Leagues would probably come to South Texas next year to train.

Laredo has everything in the way of climate, grounds and other facilities to offer some of the big major league base ball teams to come here. As for a ball park there is one already here and should a team be brought here there would be other teams coming here for exhibition contests. Why not get busy right now on the proposition of bringing some big league ball team here to train next spring? Laredo would get advertising from such a venture—besides, there would be some real base ball games seen while the team was here.

PENNSYLVANIA HILLS FINE FILM SETTING

"The Gray Towers Mystery" Has Unusual Atmosphere.

The remarkable scenery of Milford, Pa., forms atmosphere in Vitaphone's new picture, "The Gray Towers Mystery." This production, with Gladys Leslie as star, will be shown at the Strand Theater Monday.

Among motion picture scouts, whose business it is to locate beautiful or otherwise distinctive places throughout the country, suitable for certain kinds of film treatment, the scenery around Milford is recognized as particularly fine. This locality has been invaded several times recently by Vitaphone companies for purposes of reproduction.

Milford is buried in a valley, whose environs are grand in the contour of rolling, far stretches of fertile plains. The estates that nestle within this region are comparable to the famed ranches of Mexico, whose boundaries represent principalities.

"The Gray Towers Mystery" is a film that brings to view beautiful mists and clouds in the magnificence of these surroundings. Its atmosphere of wildness.

Miss Leslie plays the role of a young working girl who inherits the ranch and the fortune of a dead uncle and who experiences tremendous adventure as mistress of her new destiny.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

NOVEMBER 15.
Sir John Aird, one of the eminent financial leaders of Canada, born in Quebec, 64 years ago today.
James O'Neill, a popular veteran of the American stage, born in Kilkenny, Ireland, 70 years ago today.
Charles E. Merriam, university professor and several times candidate for mayor of Chicago, born at Hopkinton, Iowa, 45 years ago today.
The Fairbanks Twins, Madeline and Marion, well known to the stage and motion pictures, born in New York City, 18 years ago today.
Vincent Astor, one of America's richest young men, born in New York City, 28 years ago today.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. DaCamara will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
Dance at the Soldiers Club in the evening.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church will meet at the church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet in the Church at 6:45 p. m.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will hold its regular meeting in the League room of the Methodist Church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church meets at 6:45 at the church Sunday evening.
Monday.
Mrs. L. J. Christen will entertain the Nullo Club at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
There will be a meeting of the Woman's Club at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet at the church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

This May Interest You.
The Times desires all social items of interest and cordially invites its readers to supply such news to the society editor. Send or phone all items about weddings, parties, visitors, dinners, receptions, bazaars, children's parties, etc. If you are leaving town or returning, or have visitors arriving or departing. The Times will be glad to know it. While names will not be used all written communications must be signed. This is imperative to prevent imposition. Phone all society communications to the Society Editor of The Times at No. 70 between 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning and 5 and 8:30 in the evening.

God's Handwriting.

He writes in characters too grand for our short sight to understand. We catch but broken strokes, and to fathom all the mystery Of withered hopes, of death of life, The endless war, the useless strife— But there, with larger, clearer sight, We shall see this— His way was right.

—John Oxenham in All's Well.
(George H. Doran Co., New York.)

General Mention.

Mr. L. A. Morrow returned this morning from a short business trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. A. Dickey returned home yesterday from a trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. Geo. Hatley is in Galveston visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Jones.

Col. Frederick Gilbreath left last night for Washington, D. C., on a detail. He was accompanied as far as Austin by Mrs. Gilbreath, who after a short visit to relatives will return to Laredo for a longer visit to her parents before joining Col. Gilbreath.

Mr. J. F. Lynch is in the city on a business trip.

Mrs. M. B. Mowry is expected home today from San Antonio, where she went to hear the Vatican Choir.

Mr. Francisco C. Salinas of Monterey is in the city for a few days visit to his brother, Mr. B. C. Salinas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owen Gallagher left this morning for their home on the Venado ranch in Zapata county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnston and children expect to leave this evening for San Antonio for a short visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. E. Longworth and little daughter Jean of San Antonio are visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Daniels.

Announcements.

Mrs. R. L. Puster will entertain with a luncheon Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in honor of her sister Mrs. C. H. Bush.

There will be an important meeting of the Woman's Club Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. F. H. Baenz entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club on Thursday evening, November 29.

Mrs. Chas. Deutz will entertain the Married Ladies Social Club on Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will have an infor-

mal reception Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Worsham, honoring their pastor and family. The members of the congregation and friends are invited.

The organist and director of Christ Church, Mrs. Flora D. Anderson, will be at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to try out voices of applicants for the choir. This is an opportunity to receive a choir training.

Associated Charities Meeting.

There was quite an interesting and enthusiastic meeting of the committees from the various clubs and societies yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce. Plans for Tag Day for the Associated Charities Hospital were discussed and arrangements were made accordingly. Mr. Cook is the general chairman; Mrs. H. M. Austin, vice chairman and Mrs. R. L. Bobbitt secretary. There were 35 present at the meeting.

Entertainment.

Mrs. R. B. Echols entertained with a beautifully appointed bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. P. Woodard. The rooms were charmingly arranged for the occasion. Numbers of pink roses filled vases and bowls and ferns were also used. In the dining room red was the chosen color and the decorations were carried out in red roses and carnations. In the games of bridge played the high score was held by Mrs. A. C. Hamilton, who was given a cutglass fern dish; low score went to Mrs. W. T. Hill, who received a half dozen pyrex ramokins; consolation was cut by Miss Lucille Murphy, who received two cut-glass flower vases. Stuffed dates and mints were served during the games and afterward a delightfully appointed three-course luncheon was enjoyed. The plate favors were long-stemmed white carnations. Those enjoying the charming hospitality of the afternoon were: Misses Inez Hill, Lucille Murphy, Annie and Frances Alexander and Woodbridge, Mesdames A. C. Hamilton, Shelby, Cogley, H. G. DaCamara, Hill, Young, George Moyer of San Antonio, Morrow, Witting, H. Johnston, Walker, Biggio, C. C. Jefferies, Fish, Lafon, Dalches, and Derby. Mrs. Echols was graciously assisted by Mrs. H. P. Woodard in entertaining her guests.

TODAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

NOVEMBER 15.
1807—Peter H. Burnett, first State governor of California, born at Nashville, Tenn. Died at San Francisco, May 16, 1895.
1813—An uprising took place in Holland against the French.
1857—James Hamilton, Jr., governor of South Carolina and the official head of the Nullification Party, died in Texas. Born at Charleston, S. C., May 8, 1786.
1869—Emperor of Austria and other notables arrived at Port Said for the opening of the Suez Canal.
1894—Queen Victoria received a deputation from the Queen of Switzerland.
1906—President Roosevelt visited the City of Panama, the first time a President of the United States passed beyond the jurisdiction of its flag.
1914—The Russians advanced upon Cracow.
1915—Russia announced intention to invade Persia to stop German activities there.
1916—Announcement that British Government would appoint a food controller with drastic power over prices.
1917—British forces of Gen. Allenby cut the railway connecting Jaffa with Jerusalem.

IN THE DAYS' NEWS.

NOVEMBER 15.
Ex-King Manuel II, in whose interest a strong monarchist movement is reported to have developed in Portugal, will quietly celebrate his 30th birthday today on the estate in England where he has resided since he lost his throne. So far as the public is aware he has expressed no desire to change his present lot, which is that of an English country gentleman and chicken farmer, for the strenuous and uncertain life of a king. Manuel was born the day his relative, Dom Pedro II, was deposed from the throne of Brazil. His own succession to the throne of Portugal was the result of the assassination of his father and elder brother. The revolution in 1910 put an end to the English. He belongs to the house of Braganza, which dates from the end of the fourteenth century. His mother, Queen Maria Amalia, who also resides in England, was an Orleans princess, daughter of the Count of Paris.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE WAR.

NOVEMBER 15.
American airmen landed in Cologne.
Former German Crown Prince was interned at Laestricht.
German people appealed to President Wilson to save them from starvation and anarchy.